

Merry Christmas

There's a thrill in the air, and it's spreading everywhere! The children say that Santa is coming and the older folks say it's the holiday spirit! Whatever you call it, we wish you the best of good tidings this joyous season!

It Came Upon the Midnight Clear



We Three Kings of Orient Are



MEET JAY JOHNSON, DALY CITY'S SANTA CLAUS WITH A HEART

Some call him Jay Johnson, but hundreds of children this Christmas are going to wonder if his real name isn't Santa Claus. He's an average looking guy with gentle eyes, a perpetual smile, and a heart that understands and helps children. Every year about this time (and he's been at it for four Christmases now) Johnson repairs hundreds of toys for children whose letters to the north pole might otherwise be short circuited by hard times. Working almost the clock around, the Daly City man fits a wheel here, a handle there, repairs a mechanism and generally converts junk into joy. Come December 25, hundreds of children will wake up to find scooters, dolls, planes, cars, and cradles that "sing" under their Christmas trees. They won't know it, but these all came from the 243 Miriam street shop of Johnson. In this age of commercialized giving, it's hard to think that there isn't a gimmick somewhere. The World War II veteran must be getting a pay off from some angle. No one these days works for nothing. "Sure I'm selfish," Johnson explained. "I don't give these kids toys for nothing. No, in return they give me happiness. Besides," he added with a wry smile, "I'm not too healthy and perhaps the Good Lord will add a few years to keep me going at my work. There's a long history behind this attitude which harks back to pre-war days when Johnson, a steel construction worker, fell off a building and broke his back. There were weeks when he came close to dying, but "God pulled

Lions' Toy Drive Makes The Grade

In a last minute burst of giving, citizens of Daly City opened up this week to donate toys to the Lions toy drive. Officers of the organization report that they now have enough dolls, cars, cap pistols, and the like, to take care of the majority of children on their list. This Saturday, Santa and the Lions will distribute the gifts to the boys and girls. Hats off to the Eagles, too. They generously donated small packages, almost 100 of them, for the Lions club drive. The parcels contained candy, small toys and the like. Another salute to Mrs. Fred Schultz, 1227 Brunswick street, for her unsolicited donation of \$20 to the Lions. Too bad there are not a few more people in Daly City like Mrs. Schultz.

Young Boy Hit By Automobile

Dashing from behind a car, Larry Laub, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Laub, 234 Los Banos, was struck by a car Tuesday afternoon. Fortunately the car was traveling slowly and Larry suffered only minor bruises, police said. He was taken to Junipero Serra hospital for treatment and released, hospital authorities reported. The driver of the car was Lester DeFries, 30, 1443 Irvington street, San Francisco. He was coming west on Los Banos when young Laub ran out from behind a car parked on the south east corner of Los Banos and Woodrow police reported.

31 New Homes For Westlake

Moving ahead with plans to provide more and more homes in the Bay area, Henry Doelger this week received a building permit from the city for 31 additional homes. The houses, valued at \$288,043 will go up on Westlake Tract No. 2. Earlier this month, Doelger was given another permit valued at \$348,835 for 36 homes. Other permits issued last week went to: Italo Finaldi for \$11,500 house at 77 89th avenue; Shell Oil Co. to put up a \$100 neon sign at 2089 Junipero Serra boulevard; George Landeau to build a \$500 garage at 267 Frankfort.

Daly City Band To Play Shriner East-West Game In Kezar, December 31

Those attending the annual East-West Shrine Game in Kezar stadium next Saturday, December 31, will hear a familiar sound. That sound will be emitted in tuneless melodies by the Daly City Band that thrilled local audiences last Sunday with their annual Christmas concert. George Brenner, band leader, said the band had been invited to play at the annual big game. He hopes many people from this area will be on hand to voice a few cheers for the local lads.

Has Anyone Here Seen George?

Where is George Maehren, late of Brisbane, California? That's the question the San Mateo county chapter of the American Red Cross is asking today. They are seeking to find Maehren to deliver a long overdue message. Anyone knowing the where-

Co. No. 4 Takes First For Best Decorated Home

Let the Christmas trumpets be heard. . . Company No. 4, Daly City Fire Department, has won the grand prize for the best holiday decorated fire house in this community.

The \$25 prize and the Chief's trophy will be presented to the hose hoisters of No. 4 for a cleverly worked out front room scene before their Roosevelt and Peoria street home.

Second prize goes to Company No. 8, Werner avenue, for Santa Claus coming down a chimney. The second prize is \$15.

Judges for the contest were: Judge W. J. Sweeney, John Newton of the Olivet Flower Shop, and Bill Katz "Record" reporter. The judges, so help us, were impartial. They based their decisions on: originality, ingenuity, and a consideration of space allotted for each project.

Not to be forgotten, however, are the fire houses of Company No. 1 and Company No. 2, at 183 Santa Barbara and Santa Barbara and Parkview avenues, respectively. The hose hoisters here did an excellent job and are to be commended for their fine work. It was really hard for the judges to make the decision, as all of the buildings were almost equally well decorated.

But let the citizens of Daly City decide. All the smoke chasers will have their "homes" on display from now until Christmas. Why not drop around and see them?

E. H. Megel Joins PiP Shampoo Firm

Joining the France Laboratories Inc., 900 Bayshore Highway, South San Francisco, this week is E. H. Megel, well-known Bay Area auditor and controller.

He will be the firm's controller, and as such will be the man to see concerning money problems.

Those in Daly City not familiar with France Laboratories, will recognize the name immediately when it is pointed out that this is the firm now manufacturing the new, PiP shampoo.

The business is under the direction of another well-known Daly City man, Roger Roussille. He is the same gentleman who for many years operated the highly successful Empire Advertising company.

From time to time the "Record" will report on the progress of this new organization, France Laboratories, and their product, PiP shampoo.

Gentleman Friend Costs Sister \$150

Out \$150 today because her sister allegedly struck up an acquaintance with the wrong man is Erby Guillory, 238 Los Olivos. Mrs. Guillory told police that the friend of her sister's had come to the house several times. He visited with the family and then left.

However, last Thursday evening he came when no one was home but the baby sitter. The sister let him in, and he assertedly proceeded to go through the house.

Mrs. Guillory said that he had taken a toy bank containing \$150. Police are today checking Mrs. Guillory's story and looking for the unnamed gentleman.

abouts of the above person is asked to contact the Red Cross at 1449 Bellevue avenue, Burlingame, DIAlmond 3-4561.

Some People Just Hate Schools

Whether it was money, or just a love of destruction, an unidentified man raised havoc in Jefferson Grammar school, Alameda and Market, Wednesday afternoon.

James Snell, school superintendent, told police today that between 11:55 a. m. and 1 p. m. Wednesday, a thug got into the school by breaking the glass in a south west corner door. As the janitor, Steve Passafiume, was away, the thug had plenty of time to do the following:

Break the glass in 11 windows on doors within the school.

Enter the 11 rooms, turn desk drawers topsy turvey, scattering papers all over the floors.

Kick holes through three closet doors.

Snell reported that at this time he had not been able to find anything of value missing.

Safe, \$75 Loot In Two Tuesday Night Burglaries

Hitting twice in Daly City Tuesday night, burglars carried away a desk safe from the Big Bear Lumber Co., 1625 Junipero Serra boulevard and \$75 from the Daly City Amusement Center, 6380 Mission.

Although both thefts were committed sometime between midnight and 7 o'clock Wednesday morning, Chief W. W. Sunderland discounted the possibility that the jobs were carried off by the same gang.

With several suspects in mind, teletype messages were sent out on both burglaries, Chief Sunderland said.

George Tombow, Big Bear Lumber Co. foreman, told police that in addition to the safe, containing company records, a n d checks, the thugs also got away with two cases of whiskey. The whiskey was to be distributed as Christmas gifts.

Police report entrance was gained to the small lumber office by forcing a bar off a window. Once inside, the burglars emptied desk drawers and cabinets over the floor. Finding nothing, they drove a small truck up to the front door and carried off the 16 inch by 18 inch safe.

Although nothing of value was in the iron box, the company hopes to find it, as without their books they are having difficulty conducting business.

In the second evening burglary a small iron bar was used to force open the back door of the Daly City Pool hall. Employing book matches for light, the thieves used the same bar to force open a cigarette machine, juke box, a n d super bell console. From these machines they got \$74 in small change.

Also taken was a table radio valued at \$35, and an undetermined number of cigarettes, police said.

Marchbanks Park Neon Signs To Be Lighted First Of Next Week

The two neon signs designating Marchbanks Park will go into night operation early next week, Mayor Paul Green reported today.

Both of the two faced, large signs were donated to the city by Mrs. Bernadette Marchbanks.

They are located at Junipero Serra and North Parkview a n d Mission and Parkview respectively.

O Little Town of Bethlehem



The First Noel



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TRAFFIC COURT



Recently Saying
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Stanley Morse, speeding, \$7.50.
Arthur Nottingham, hill hold, \$2.50.
Peter J. Rizzo, speeding, \$7.50.

Architect Submits Building Plans

Meeting with the architect of the War Memorial building, Mario J. Ciampi, the city council Monday night proceeded with plans for construction.

Ciampi presented the council with preliminary plans for the \$293,000 building. These will be presented to representatives of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Recreation department December 29 or 30, Mayor Paul Green said.

When the plans receive the final approval of all concerned, work will get under way on the structure between Mission and Hillcrest north of Alp street. Bids on the job are expected to be asked for sometime in January.

Meanwhile, plans are completed for work to begin on improvement of Marchbanks and Lincoln parks, Mayor Green said. This will begin sometime after January 15.

Plans are also being drawn up for a park at Edgewood. The parks for Colma and the Frankfort district are temporarily held up, while the city dickers for necessary land purchases.

Mrs. Sloan Learns Nothing Free Here

Overwhelmed with gratitude, Mrs. William Sloan, 442 San Diego avenue, was the victim of an alleged crooked salesman Monday, whom she paid \$30 for towels and sheets.

Police say an unidentified man came to Mrs. Sloan's home Monday afternoon and reported that he was a poultry dealer. He said Mrs. Sloan's Aunt Adie of Inglewood, California had instructed him to deliver her a nice, fat, free turkey on Wednesday.

After she'd thanked the man, he went into another sales talk and sold her a \$30 order of towels and sheets. However, to date neither the items nor the turkey have appeared, police report.

What To Do About Social Security Benefits Told

There are two times to inquire about social security benefits, according to Charles H. Shreve, manager of the San Francisco office of the Social Security Administration.

1. When a worker reaches age 65, he should visit or write the nearest social security office. Even though the worker has not retired, monthly payments may be made to him if he is off the payroll because of illness, or unemployed, or working in a job not covered by social security.

2. Whenever a worker dies, his widow or other close relative should get in touch with the Social Security office. Death benefits may be payable but are not automatic. Someone must claim them, and delay may cost money in lost payments.

The Social Security office in San Francisco is located in Room 159, Federal Office Building. The staff there will be glad to answer questions about Old Age and Survivors Insurance at any time.

WELCOME To Daly City



News of Your Neighbors
New Families Moving
Into Daly City Recently

Edward Marten, 35 San Joaquin. John French, Junipero Serra and School.

William Sanders, 150 Westlawn. John Livach, 36 Belmont.

Joseph W. Currie, 142 Westlawn. Allyn R. Hutter, 40 Belmont.

George R. Martin, 181 Westdale. Thomas E. Donoghue, 16 Cliffside drive.

Pete H. Johansen, 1053 Brunswick. William Orbanosky, 258 Edgemar.

Frank George, 363-A San Diego.

Scholarships Open To Jeff Grads

Seniors of Jefferson Union High school who are eligible may participate in examinations being held at Balboa High school in San Francisco on January 21 for 35 scholarships offered by the University of Redlands.

The scholarships include four full tuition awards valued at \$1,800 for a four-year course; four scholarships valued at \$1,200 for a four-year course; twelve honor scholarships ranging in value from \$800 to \$1,000; five honor scholarships valued at \$400; five honor scholarships ranging in value from \$250 to \$400; and five honor scholarships valued at \$200 each.

The scholarships will be made available to high school seniors meeting the necessary qualifications and able to pass the examination.

Crest Theatre Changes Hands

Under new ownership today, for the third time within one year, is the Crest Theatre, 7252 Mission.

Edward Albin, of Alameda, recently purchased the Daly City movie house from the former owner, Ray Knight. Albin, now employed by the B. F. Shearer Co., San Francisco, will devote full time to the Crest after the first of the year.

Bill Murree, 243 Los Banos, theater manager, reports that Knight has gone to Canada, but will return soon to open a new theater on the Peninsula.

Court St. Mary's Holds Christmas Party Thursday

By Mrs. Agatha Heyden

With anticipation and a rustle of excitement, 52 children received old Kris Kringle with open hearts at Court St. Mary's No. 1155, CDA, annual Christmas party last Thursday.

After handing each child a toy and a bag of candy from the court, and listening to their wishes for a well-filled sock come Christmas morning, he was off with a Merry Christmas to all.

The remainder of the evening was devoted to movies and games, after which refreshments were served. The tables were beautifully decorated with holiday greens and little white Christmas trees.

Social chairman of the evening was Mrs. Christine Stephenson. She was assisted by Mesdames Louise Fusler, Charlotte Gonzales, Marie Hummel, Della Kelly and Marie Kemnitz.

Mrs. Evelyn Werkirk was in charge of entertainment while Mrs. Elenore McDougall headed the decorations committee.

The next meeting of the court will be January 5 at the Daly City Masonic Hall. Be sure and come as folk dancing will be enjoyed after sewing on cancer pads has been completed.

THEATER TO BE ASKED TO HELP PAY FOR CONCORDIA IMPROVEMENTS

A drive-in theater, outside of Daly City, is going to be asked to help improve local streets in the Concordia district.

This was the conclusion reached Monday night after an hour-long discussion between interested Concordia property owners and the city council.

As the new theater, to be completed sometime next spring by the San Francisco Starlight chain, is just over the city line, it is out of the immediate jurisdiction of the council.

However, it is of interest to the city as the theater plans to use Guttenburg and Lowell streets as an exit and entrance, respectively. These streets are part of the assessment district now being worked out by the city.

Property owners feel that as the theater will benefit from improving the streets, it should help in financing the work. Specifically, the owners, in a signed petition, asked the theater for \$10,000 toward the job.

As no representatives of the Starlight chain or the Crocker estate, which owns the land on which the theater is being built, were present, no action could be taken Monday night.

However, Mayor Paul Green said he would contact the proper officials and present the demands of the Concordia land owners.

"I will have an answer from the theater people, or representatives from that body will be here next week," Mayor Green said.

The mayor then called for another public hearing on the question for Tuesday, December 27. He asked all interested parties to be present.

Before this conclusion was reached, however, the council answered four other questions of the people present. The questions were asked in a petition signed by approximately one-third of interested property owners in Concordia.

Speaking for the land owners, Julius F. Castellan wished assurance that the streets would be adequate to handle the traffic of some "1,000 cars a day." Mayor Green answered, to the satisfaction of those present, that the pavement would "be more than adequate."

Eric Moore, another property owner, questioned whether or not, with all the traffic from the theater, proper fire and police protection could be given residents. Again Mayor Green assured all those present that traffic control, furnished by the city, would handle the situation.

Castellan then asserted that the estimate of \$14.35 a square foot for improvements in the district was too high. He pointed out that a similar job in Colma, before the war, had been done at \$10 a foot.

R. A. Klassen, city engineer, said the estimate had been based on the lowest possible costs. He asserted the job could not be done much cheaper, and certainly not at \$10 a square foot.

Klassen's answer seemed to meet with the approval of those present.

Finally, the owners inquired if state gas funds could not be used to help pay for the improvements. Klassen answered an emphatic "no," saying that this money is available only for the improvement of major streets, and not those in a subdivision.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Sara Kingdon

Funeral services were held at the W. C. Lasswell chapel Tuesday for Mrs. Sara Kingdon, 735 Crocker, who died at St. Luke's hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Kingdon was a native of northern Ireland and had been a resident in Daly City for the past nine years.

She was an active member of Olive Branch Chapter 169, OES. In addition she was a member of the Christian Science group in Daly City under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Nelson, reader.

Mrs. Kingdon was the widow of the late Frank Kingdon and is survived by several unnamed brothers and sisters in northern Ireland.

Funeral services Tuesday were first conducted by the OES and then by the Christian Science group. Interment followed at Cypress Lawn cemetery.

Linda Ann Orlich

Death came at 3 a. m. Thursday morning, December 22, for Linda Ann Orlich, 15 day old child of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Orlich, 523 San Diego.

The baby girl became ill Wednesday night. She was taken to Junipero Serra hospital, but was pronounced dead upon arrival. Hospital authorities were unable to say today what was the cause of her death.

Private funeral services were held Thursday afternoon in the W. C. Lasswell chapel. Interment followed at the Serbian cemetery.

Brownie Troop No. 15 Holds Christmas Party

By Mrs. Lillian Klingler
Christmas was a week early by the Brownies of Troop No. 15 and their mothers.

The girls had been working on the gifts they gave their mothers since mid-October. Each girl made six napkins from flour sacks that had been bleached snowy white. The edges had been fringed all the way around. Boxes were covered by the girls and fixed with tags for their mothers.

Popcorn balls, cupcakes and hot chocolate were served for refreshments and each Brownie received a candy cane.

Entertainment was presented in the form of tap dances by Mureen McGraw and Diani Petri; a song by Mary Lou Jordan; Joan Bower and Donna Iverson sang a Christmas carol, and the group of 14 girls sang Brownie songs together. Committee members furnished the refreshments and helped girls with the servings. Two new mothers were recruited as committee members, and all left with a heart full of Christmas spirit and willingness to help their girls.

Many projects in crafts, picnics, and outings have been planned by the members for the coming year.

I wish to take this opportunity, as troop leader, to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and many thanks for their help.

The next meeting of the troop is scheduled for January 7 at 101 Parkview. Meetings begin at 9:30 a. m. and continue until 11 a. m.

On this count, Mayor Green said he would vote down any attempt to use state funds on a minor Daly City street. He asserted that this money was to be used for the good of the city as a whole, and not for a minority.

Here, again, the Concordia residents approved the answer.

When the battle of words finally drew to a conclusion, there still was one question unanswered: Will the Starlight Theatre group help finance the assessment district?

From here, it appears that if they don't the people won't approve the district. Yet, if the people do approve the district, the theater chain may still have to pay the city.

"We simply have to put up a curb, and in order for the theater to break that curb to get into Guttenburg and Lowell they have to come to the city council," Councilman Mel Battye said. "Then we'll see who will pay."

When the rest of the city council was asked what they thought of this type of action, they remained silent, asserting until they heard from the Starlight Theatre company no stand could be taken.

NEWS FROM THE SCHOOLS



CROCKER

The following pupils in the Low 5 grade had perfect attendance last month: Charles Brobeck, Robert Brugioni, Caroline Cameron, William Curtis, Ronald Davis, Kenneth Day, William Doghera, Wayne Dunham, George Fresenborg, Gary Gardner, Marcus Glover, Donna Iverson, Floretta Johnson, Ronald Jones, Carol Klingman, Jack Klingler, John Montinero, Pauline Sharp, Ted Surber, Clinton Thistle, Leonard Thistle, Jo Ellen Toler, and Willis Walton.

One of the boys in Room 3 has said that he will be able to bring a tree. Then each child plans to bring an ornament for it. All the children have drawn a name for bringing presents.

This week in music appreciation the students will hear the Nutcracker Suite. One of the boys has brought Spike Jones' version of the same music. It will be interesting to compare the two recordings.

ROOM 5

In preparation for the Christmas season the Low 1, Room 5, have been singing Christmas carols during their music period. They have drawn pictures for their part of the hall bulletin board, are now drawing pictures to decorate their room, and will make Christmas cards during their art period.

Sherwood Rupp has been selected to play the part of Santa Claus when the group has their Christmas party for which they have drawn names for presents.

At present the group is quite disgusted with Scrooge of Charles Dickens' familiar story, "Christmas Carol."

ROOM 6

The pupils of Room 6 learned that scientists estimate a 200-pound earth thing would weigh 33 pounds on the moon, 74 pounds on Mars, 234 pounds on Saturn, and about 5,580 pounds on the sun. The amount depends on the mass and size of the planet.

They have also learned something about the law of inertia which is, that a body at rest remains at rest, and a moving body tends to keep on going in a straight line and at the same rate of speed, unless something changes it.

JEFFERSON

An imaginary visit to New Orleans was enjoyed by the fifth grade. Lee Chessman acted as guide. He not only described the Mardi Gras, and told of many interesting places, but he also displayed souvenirs from that city. Lee's aunt has just returned from New Orleans.

Ted McKenzie, who attended the Quaker school in Pennsylvania and had previously given the class an account of his experiences there, had his talk supplemented by colored pictures of places he had described. The pictures belonged to Dan Miceli, who brought them to show the class.

ROOM 2

The seventh graders in Room 2 have elected class officers for the fall term, 1949. They are: Faye Orovitz, president; Al Lagomarsino, vice-president; Gwen Anthony, secretary; Lee Poston, treasurer; Allan Anthony, sergeant-at-arms.

The class held a meeting under the direction of the above officers and decided the following: (1) Teamwork in all classroom situations; (2) Pride in their school and classroom; (3) Leadership in respecting school regulations; (4) Organization of committees; (5) Issuance of a class newsletter every Friday.

SIXTH GRADE

Election day for the sixth grade was on December 1st. The retiring president, Edward Dennis, conducted the election in an efficient and orderly manner. The new officers elected were: Richard Stookley, president; Sondra Stanghellini, secretary; Ronald Casentini, treasurer.

The new officers were introduced to the class by the retiring president, who then thanked the class for the support which they had given him during his term. The class showed their appreciation of his leadership by a hearty round of applause.

This is the second election held by the class and it is interesting and gratifying to see the growth in ability to participate, and in the poise and assurance with which these young citizens conduct their class meetings.

During the week a discussion of the manner in which bees and wasps build their homes added life and interest to the science class. Starting with a piece of wasp's nest which a fifth grade student brought to the room, Dan Tomlinson then led the class discussion with an interesting story.

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Only One Minor Week End Wreck

Safety was the byword in Daly City over the week end, with only one automobile accident reported to police.

The accident occurred Saturday at the intersection of San Diego and Knowles when a sedan and a pickup truck sideswiped. Neither of the drivers was injured, and damage was limited to a dent in the right side of the car and left side of the pickup, police said.

Behind the wheel of the automobile, when the wreck occurred at 11:30 a. m., was Dale Warnick, 28, 131 Santa Cruz. George Gigli, 20, 2 E. Moltke, was driving the truck.

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SPORTS

Union Liquor Quintet Take Lead In Jeff High School League

It may be early for predictions, but the cagers to watch this year in the Jefferson Night school basketball league are the lads of Union Liquor.

The fast playing, hard shooting quintet last week came through for their second straight win, taking Consolidated Schools by 44 to 34 Tuesday.

Fired by Red Dunn, who hit the basket eight times from the floor, and made good three free throws to compile 19 points, Union Liquor is going to make it rough for any other cast in the league to take a winning bow.

In other games played Tuesday, December 13, Tromborg Plumbing found the key to success once, defeating the Daly City Boys Club 26 to 19. However, in a Thursday, December 9, game the plumbers lost control of their floor work and lost one to Consolidated Schools 24 to 37.

A scheduled game Thursday night between Tromborg and College of Chiropody had to be called off, as the college dropped out of the league. However, taking their place will be the boys from Visitation Valley Merchants.

In last Thursday night's games the Colma Boys Club took the Veterans Inn 49 to 48 in a close, overtime battle. Players and individual scores are not available on this game, nor on the last game played between Neville Motors and Visitation Valley, taken by Neville 40 to 28.

Remember, all of these night games are free, and the players welcome a good grandstand crowd. The contests are staged on the floor of the Jefferson High gym each Tuesday and Thursday night at 7:20 and 8:30, respectively.

Following is a breakdown of the games played Thursday, December 8, and Tuesday, December 13:

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS			
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Joe Dilg	4	2	10
Jack Dederman	2	2	6
Harry Dederman	4	2	10
Dan Wilson	1	2	4

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OLPH Touch Football Team Receives Awards

Honored at a special school assembly last Wednesday, December 11, were members of the Our Lady of Perpetual Help "A" football team.

These were the boys who walked off with the championship of the Recreation Department Touch Football League earlier this year. Purpose of the assembly was to present the school with the Daly City Recreation Department's perpetual trophy in touch football. Also each member of the first two teams was given a medal.

The program opened with a short congratulatory speech by Earle Johnson, supervisor of recreation. Johnson then presented to Father Stewart, in behalf of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, the football trophy. This presentation made the third trophy that this school has won this year, the other two were in swimming and track. Father Stewart received the trophy and then congratulated the boys and Glenn Smith, recreation director at Marchbanks Park, who coached the winning team.

Smith then presented the members of the team with their individual medals. The following received awards: R. Rosa, G. Deyfus, J. Robinson, B. Brandt, M. Laramie, G. Fontana, J. Madden, J. Murphy, J. Machado and A. Squeri.

Those in the Recreation Department have derived a great deal of satisfaction from the success of the touch football program presented this fall. They hope that next year's program will be bigger and better so that more young people and parents can enjoy the program.

Any suggestions for next year's program will be welcomed. Please send any such suggestions to the Recreation Department, City Hall, Daly City.

Totals 17 10 44

TROMBORG PLUMBING			
	fg	ft	tp
Bob Plyer	1	0	2
Jerry Plyer	0	0	0
Tom Tromborg	1	0	2
Paul Pizzi	3	1	7
Chuck Christen	0	0	0
Monty Roberson	3	0	6
Al Hailer	4	0	6
Al Lagomarsino	1	1	3

Totals 13 2 26

DALY CITY BOYS CLUB

	fg	ft	tp
Wayne Root	1	2	4
Vince Delbere	2	1	5
Dick Myers	1	1	3
Ray Chelope	0	0	0
Al Sola	0	0	0
Ed Gill	2	0	4
Walt Shannon	1	1	3
Jim Peterson	0	0	0
Giran Lorenzo	0	0	0

Totals 7 5 19

CORRECTWHEEL BALANCE

When new automobile tires are installed or when tires are shifted, the wheels should be balanced on a wheel balancing machine advises the California State Automobile Association. Any slight unbalance multiplies in intensity as speed increases, and unbalanced wheels may cause an accident due to the extra strain placed on the steering mechanism.

When the final score was in, Syl's had wrapped up the championship by a 12 to 8 victory.

However, the Daly City team has some consolation in the fact that they came in second in the league.

On the mound for the Merch-

Jeff High Cagers' "Radar" Shooting Shorted; Lose Two Practice Games

By Milton Tromborg

Using everything but radar, the Jeff high basketball squad just couldn't quite make it last week, and lost two practice tilts on their own court.

The experienced Tamalpais squad took the Indians by a nice score of 53 to 34. However, the new Riordan school had a harder time, beating the Indians by the close score of 34 to 31.

Regardless of the two defeats, the Jeff Indians look fairly good, and with a little more practice they may be able to score several wins this season.

Although the official team has not been chosen, here are a few pretty good guesses, based on the two practice games, as to who will be on the Jeff squad.

In the Tam game, Les Nicolini was high point man, with 14 digits to his credit. Les is sure to place on the first team by the time the PAL season opens in January.

Mark Lawry also played a good game on both offense and defense at guard. He scored six points.

Jack Allain, the six-foot-seven-inch center, only scored two points, but after the season gets going he should improve.

Al Johnson, a new boy, looked good at the center position. He is a lad who can jump, shoot and pass the ball around. Al only played for a few minutes in this game, but scored four points.

The Tam team had a boy who scored 23 points, 13 in the first half. He has played for Tam for three years at the forward position.

While the Tam quintet is definitely the team to watch, it at least didn't do as well this year against Jeff as last. In the 1948 game the home town boys lost by a score of 53 to 18.

Meanwhile, in the other bout, the Jeff cagers showed their only weakness on offense. They just couldn't hit the hoop, and Riordan went home with the win.

In this tussle the high point man was Mark Lowry. Mark has improved a lot, and his ability was shown when he scored 10 of the 31 points registered.

Les Nicolini also did well, coming up with nine points.

It's all a matter of practice, and with enough time and good men, Coach Mike Orlich is bound to produce a winning team.

ants were Lucia and Fazio. Although they did a nice job, it wasn't quite good enough and the Syl's garnered 17 hits.

Carrying the big bat for the Merchants were Dotoli and Valletta. These boys crossed home plate three and two times respectively. Other scoring runs were made by Bernallis, Newman and Fazio.

This was the last game for the Merchants this year and they are going to retire until January. There is no denying they played bang-up ball this year, having won six games, lost two, and tied one.

Jeff High School Gym Closed During Xmas Holidays, Opens Jan. 2

While Santa Claus is making his yearly round in Daly City, the Jefferson High school gym will be closed, Coach Glenn South announced.

The gym was closed December 15, and will not open again until January 2.

Therefore, the usual sports activities have been called off for the holiday season.

Money Orders Can Now Be Sent To Japan, Fixa Says

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of money which can be sent in this manner, although each separate money order must be limited to a maximum of \$100.
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But as they hastened toward the little town to "see this thing which is come to pass" the glorious News could have meant no more to them than it can mean to every one of us.

And the King they worshipped in a humble stable, we may worship today—and always, in the churches of our community.



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Monday - Matthew	1	18-25
Tuesday - Isaiah	61	1-3
Wednesday - Matthew	2	1-12
Thursday - Micah	4	1-5
Friday - Luke	2	1-7
Saturday - Luke	2	8-20

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MICKY HAEFNER

WHITE SOX PITCHER, GAINED HIS NICKNAME BECAUSE SOME PEOPLE CLAIMED HE LOOKED LIKE WALT DISNEY'S MICKEY MOUSE.

Woodrow Wilson's Santa Claus Had A Bass Voice

Santa Claus, all 6 feet 3 inches and 200 some pounds, visited the Woodrow Wilson school last Thursday for the children's annual Christmas party.

Sponsored by the Woodrow Wilson PTA and room representatives, the party was a huge success, at least for the 600 children who received gifts from the jovial old fellow.

This was a first for the school, in that Santa made his appearance with a bass voice and natural padding. Heretofore, St. Nick has been a disguised woman.

Just for the record, and we hope none of the children read this, Santa was Hoke Garrison, 13 Muirwood drive.

Not to be forgotten, however, is Mrs. Clara Poket. She, with mask and pillows, acted the part of Santa for children in the Woodrow Wilson annex.

Thanks to the room representatives, and mothers of children at the school, everyone left the party with plenty of cake, cookies and ice cream under their young belts.

The two Santa Clauses passed out candy canes to the children with promises of bigger and better gifts this Sunday.

Girl Scout Leaders Guests At Xmas Party

A most enjoyable Christmas party breakfast was held by the Daly City-Colma-Bayshore Leaders' Association on Thursday morning, December 15, at the Peroria Scout House.

The place was gay with holiday trimmings and a Christmas tree decorated by the Girl Scouts. Each leader brought a white elephant gift for exchange and one dollar with which to defray the cost of the breakfast. The major portion of the dollars was given toward a magazine subscription for the Bethel School in Syria as an International Friendship gesture from the leaders.

"Santa," portrayed in a most jolly manner by Mrs. Mary Larson, distributed the gifts. The committee in charge of refreshments did a splendid job of decorating the tables and providing plenty of steaming hot coffee and coffee-cake.

Clean-up jobs were chosen from a Santa Claus Kaper chart made by Scout Patty Michelsen.

The committee consisted of Mrs. Wanda Michelsen, chairman, Mrs. Mary Larson and Mrs. Margaret



SOCIETY



Mrs. Roumbanis Honored Guest At Baby Shower

A beautiful baby shower was given last Tuesday, December 13, for Mrs. George Roumbanis, the former Miss Harriett Voelker, 468 Willits street.

The shower was given by Miss Clair Seiler of San Francisco. It was held in the home of Miss Seiler's aunt, Mrs. Henry Seiler, 663 Evergreen, Daly City.

Present to give many useful and beautiful gifts to Mrs. Roumbanis were her friends from the central San Francisco office of the Bank of America.

Those present included Misses Genevieve Smith, Bee Keely, Mercedes Cano, Loretta Picconi, Dorothy Stroud, Imge Scheger, Terry Proumbanis, Lida Casella, Lucy Centanni, Rita Arnirich, Beverly Schmer, Artell Morehouse, Marie Herkey, Florence Quillize, Alma Kees and Clair Seiler.

Also present were Mesdames Angie Seiler, Clair Seiler Sr., Mildred Seiler, Kattie Voelker and Ann Sanbrillio.

Those present were: Mesdames Thelma Hamilton, Hilda Heagney, Marie Miller, E. R. Golladay, M. Brunette, Murielle Pabst, Ethel Proschold, Angie Thur, Alice Detweiler, Cecile Saarinen, Edith Anderson, Dorothy Carr, Essie Runge, L. Heffron, Dorothy Kramer, Mary Larson, Margaret Prescott, Wanda Michelsen.

Betty White New President Of D.C. Sportswomen Club

The Daly City Sportswomen opened their second year as an organized group with the nomination and election of officers December 16 at the home of Mrs. James Fox, 257 Woodrow.

Nominees for president included Gwen Reed, Betty White and Mary Sullivan; vice-president, Jean Tranberg and Mary Shalkowski; secretary-treasurer, Audrey Poff and Virginia Meierding.

Betty White was elected president for the coming year; Mary Shalkowski vice-president, and Audrey Poff secretary-treasurer. Lorene Gardner acted as chairman of the election committee, assisted by Virginia Meierding.

Jimmy Fox spoke to the group about the New Year's Eve dancing party to be given by the Rod and Gun Club at Masonic Hall, San Juan and San Jose avenues. Admission price includes favors, food, awards, and dancing. A western motif will be featured, with gingham and jeans being worn by those attending. Festivities will last from 9 p.m. till 2 a.m.

The Daly City Sportswomen will assist in the preparation and serving of refreshments, which will be plentiful and good. Seven hundred sandwiches will be made.

A special meeting will be called to discuss plans for the installation dinner for the new officers in January. The date will be announced later.

St. Nick Visits American Legion And Auxiliary

Paying a special call to the American Legion Post No. 410 last Friday, Santa Claus entertained children of the members.

Boys and girls, 12 years old and under, were on hand for the Christmas party to disclose to Santa what they expected for December 25.

St. Nick had various presents for the young folks, and presented each boy and girl with a gift.

Following their talks with Santa, the children were entertained at a grand party. Games and musical entertainment were featured at the party.

Meanwhile, the American Legion Auxiliary No. 410 was represented recently at a press conference in San Mateo.

During the conference, the ladies were given a few rules on how to prepare stories for newspapers.

Present from Daly City were Mesdames Ethel Harris, post president; Rose Giorni, publicity chairman; and Leslie Hansen, first vice-president 26th district.

SO WHAT

By Gil Wales

'Twas the night before Christmas—or so it is for your esteemed herald, the Record, as this is the final issue before old St. Nick scampers down the chimney in this year of our Lord 1949. So without further ado allow us, the entire staff, to wish you and yours the merriest Christmas possible to achieve.

Merry Christmas. You know, many of us say it with nonchalance—even with indifference. But, friends, don't let that behavior fool you. Actually, all of us are softies when the Yuletide drops down upon us, and even the most calloused will soften under the spell that mantles the earth at this time.

We witnessed a concrete example of this the other night. A rough and ready character, with a visage as void of sentiment as a marble statue, sidled up to watch a number of tots, ooling and ahing at the toys in a heavily loaded store window.

In between the expressions of wonderment, the kids would shout that they wanted Santa to bring them this and that, when suddenly a tike not much bigger than a thumb, promised to be good for—ever, if he could only have the train, and all the funny things with it.

Almost instantly, the faces of the crowd were wreathed in smiles as it hung on every word uttered by the small one. Forthwith, we stole a hurried glance at the tough looking individual, only to find that even he had melted under the innocent words of the tot.

Yes, we do let down at this time, but strange as it may seem, we are the only people who really get a heartfelt thrill out of it all. Oh yes, those in other countries observe Christmas, although not necessarily on the 25th, but the reaction is minor in comparison to ours.

It was our fortune to have been found in many a foreign city at this time of year, only to witness a cool, if not a grim expression on the many faces as they hurriedly wended their way homeward.

We have heard many explanations for the difference. Some say that it is because of the smaller incomes elsewhere, a formidable consideration that is enough to make one cool toward anything that demands plenty of extra expenditures.

However, it seems to us that the variance lies in the focal point of it all. We center, or place the large majority of the emphasis on the kids, while others reverse the situation, putting the stress on the adults. In truth, the offspring abroad are a secondary consideration in most instances.

Of course, the result is nearly self explanatory. The first thought of the grownups is a comparison. They wonder if the presents received are as good as given, and again, it is virtually a catastrophe if one receives a gift without sending one to the donor.

On the other hand, the petites enfants haven't reached the stage in life where they even know about such things. They only express a profound and delightful glow in their pretty little faces that brings ecstasies of joy to the giver.

Speaking of the differences, we could not help but stop and think back as we trundled our way along Market street the other evening, shortly after the big stores had closed their doors for the night. That does our heart good to

NOW WHO SAID THERE WASN'T A SANTA CLAUS?



Registering various signs of approval are these three children who took part in the Woodrow Wilson school PTA Christmas party last Thursday. Looking very much like the old gentleman himself is 6 foot 3 inch Hoke Garrison. This is by way of a first for the school, in that Garrison is the first man to serve behind the whiskers at the annual Christmas party. Heretofore it has always been a woman. Santa is holding David Garrison, while to the left stands Jimmy Garrison. Not sure whether to laugh or cry is Barbara. We didn't catch her last name.

Two Men Plead Guilty In Police Court Friday Each Receives \$25 Fine

Police court was generally quiet last Friday, with only two men coming before Judge William J. Sweeney.

One of the men, Frank J. Anisky, 5264 Mission, pleaded guilty to being drunk in and around an automobile. He was fined \$50, and \$25 was suspended.

The other defendant was Duard W. Pitts, Box 513, Colma. Pitts was charged with disorderly conduct. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$25.

Most all of the happy shoppers were burdened down with bundles, even to the extent of dropping one or two from time to time.

In the European cities, such a sight is a rarity. The presents are small, costing little, and the number is few as the budget can not be stretched to cover more than the bare necessities.

With it all, we hope that the good Lord has blessed you with enough of the worldly goods so that you satisfy those little ones who will cause a heart flutter next Sunday morning.

Last week we wondered if the good folks in this vicinity were coming to the rescue of the Lions Club, which took on the task of playing Santa to the unfortunate small fry in our midst. Well, we are happy to report that the larder now is pressed down and running over with toys.

We stopped by the Daly City Theatre and lo and behold the office of Dan Anderson was loaded. There on the floor was Dan and his new assistant, Robert Steen, of 20 Flournoy, allegedly fixing the toys that required mending. They said that was what they were doing but it looked more like they were being kids again.

Anyway, as a consequence of the donors, who were children by the way, some 35 tots belonging to eight families, will know there is a Chris Kringle after all. For on Saturday morning, the gifts will be tendered by no less than a jolly old elf, clad in a bright red suit and long white whiskers.

Now before we sign off, let us again wish you every desire at yule time. You know, our city is expressing their very thought to all who pass through its portals. Have you noticed the big signs stretching across the streets at the boundaries shouting, "Daly City wishes you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year"? They express your sentiments as prescribed by City Hall.

2400 Children Attend Annual DC Xmas Party

By Earle Johnson

Monday, some 2,400 youngsters of Daly City enjoyed their annual free show at the two local theaters.

Santa Claus made a premature appearance and dropped in to see the kiddies at their respective theater parties and gave them all a bag of candy. At the Crest Theatre he even gave much of his time taking orders from the small tots, as to their wishes for Christmas gifts from him.

Approximately 600 boys and girls from the southern end of Daly City saw the pictures at the Crest Theatre and about 1800 or more other children saw the show at the Daly City Theatre.

The many kind people that gave their time and assistance in making the Christmas parties successful can never be thanked enough by me in the Recreation Department. The following persons were on hand to help with this year's very successful parties. At the Daly City Theatre, under the chairmanship of Mrs. J. Eason, Madames C. Freeland, M. Lauffenburger, E. Jordan, B. Kohlbrener, A. Ingersoll, M. Pool, M. Gehrig, J. Byrne, R. Watson, M. Fields, F. Schmidt, D. Holmberg and Messrs. Glenn Smith, Dan Cafarata, and Frank Pettit.

At the Crest Theatre, under Mr. Johnson's supervision, Madames H. Dennis, A. Leavitt, S. Hess, G. Vickers, M. La Fary, C. Benedetti, Saarinen, G. Kennedy, K. N. Atteberry, A. Thur, Miller, Schultz and Sullivan. Messrs. J. Fischer and J. Dougherty gave their very able assistance, also.

Dan Andersen, manager of the Daly City Theatre, and his staff are to be commended for their part in making this year's party a success. Anderson donated much time and energy to help make this year's party at the Daly City Theatre one of the best parties of all time. Mr. and Mrs. Albin and their staff are also to be thanked for the party played in bringing the "kids" on the southern side of Daly City a perfect party.

Santa Claus is to be thanked for making his appearance in our fair city, too.

To Mel Battye and Welch, as well as the members of the police and fire departments who gave their special attention to the parties, we also give our thanks.

These two parties are an example of what we in Daly City can do when we all work as a unit. Let us hope that all of the cooperation will continue throughout the new year and not stop here with the end of the Christmas season and the spirit it always brings.

We sincerely hope that we haven't forgotten anyone who helped in any way with this year's Christmas parties, but it is usually inevitable

Happy Birthday!

Along with the best of Christmas greetings this week, Harry, the "Happy baker," wishes the following persons a happy birthday.

He hopes they will avail themselves of one of his fine birthday cakes, or in keeping with the season, a fruit cake.

December 24: Ann A. Bono, P. 1, Box 99, Colma; Ann Kahle, P. 1, Box 12, Colma.

December 25: Mrs. Michael L. vitan, 1731 Louvaine drive; M. Domenico Dematteli, 177 Taylor street.

December 26: S. Schiappalari, 7400 Miniver.

December 27: Carol Garibal, Box 368, Colma; Doris Ferril, 1 Garden lane.

December 28: Mrs. J. Millet, 100 Citrus.

December 29: Mrs. Allan Mo, 21 Garden lane; Mrs. Marie Holmes, 772 Steward avenue; Jo Olcese Jr., Rt. 1, Box 400, Colma.

Letter To The Editor

This is a letter within a letter. The following appeared in the San Francisco Chronicle of December 14, 1949. I think more people should see this letter. It shows a comparative educational progress of people in America as with the on the other side of the world.

"I have a shameful, almost patriotic comparison to make regard to vandalism and crimes.

"After 26 months of occupied duty in Japan it was a shock to turn to the United States and recent wave of sex crimes. Such thing was unheard of in Japan, except for a few scattered cases committed by American soldiers.

"I had an outdoor Christmas in my front yard last year in Japan for over three weeks. I lived in Japanese community and directed across the street from a school children of all ages. My tree, unmolested there. This year I the same lights and 15 min after they were lit neighborhood children were tossing stones at the day.

"Our wives and children walk any street in any town in Japan any time of day or night with fear, but here in the states we let them out alone at night and can't even let our children out our sight for five minutes during the day.

"I wonder what the answer is. Sgt. 1/c Oliver Sou I believe everyone in Daly can profit by that letter.

Thank you,

GEORGE LOVE

that some person is overlooked if that is the case this year please forgive us and except our thanks anyway.



HAPPY HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO OUR FRIENDS



WHY IT'S THE TALK OF THE TOWN!

Jack Calvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Calvin, 222 Whittier street, woke up last Friday to find himself 13 years old. His friends were also aware of the new year in his life, and consequently a surprise birthday party was held at his home. Mrs. Calvin invited only his boy friends, as at this stage of life young Jack can't see girls ruining any good party. During the festivities a two-hour movie was shown the group, and home recordings were made of their reactions to the party. After the guest of honor opened many useful gifts, refreshments were served. On hand to help eat the ice cream and cake were Walter Camozzi, Larry Nofziger, Louis Del Grande, Richard McArde, Charles Cello, Richard Evans, Bill Evans, Bert McKenna, Larry Neuner, Donald Pennington, Donald Kent, Lane Calvin and Carl Calvin.

Mrs. Arthur Heyden, 231 Los Olivos, was off this week on a one-month vacation which will take her into Idaho and the high Sierras. Going alone on the trip, the well-known Daly City woman plans to first visit her sister at Mercy Hospital in Napp, Idaho. Her sister is Sister Mary Annunciatina. Mrs. Heyden then plans to travel to Blackfoot, Idaho, where she will spend Christmas and most of January with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Markus Bleklen. On her way home, Mrs. Heyden will stop at the William Heidelberg Lodge in the high Sierras to visit friends. She expects to be back in Daly City by February 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lemon, 267 Los Olivos, recently returned from a week's visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Christofilis of Pueblo, Colorado. Mr. Christofilis, a graduate of Colorado A. and M. College of Fort Collins, is now teaching industrial arts at the Keating Junior High School in Pueblo.

Ernest Gray, 14, 76 Woodrow street, is an accomplished bike rider. However, there are times when everything goes wrong, and the best of two-wheel gentlemen must take a fall. This happened to Ernest with a vengeance at 11:05 a.m. Monday when riding along Willis, in the 300 block, he suddenly struck a hole in the road. Wham, the bike overturned and Ernest sprawling. Before he knew it, he was rushed to Junipero Serra hospital in a police car. Without further study the hospital authorities treated Ernest's head for lacerations. Oh yes, the bike is temporarily out of use.

Martin Tielmann, 3-year-old son

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HARVESTING CHRISTMAS TREES — With Christmas just around the corner, the Christmas tree harvest is in full swing in Nova Scotia. The trees will be shipped all over Canada and the U. S. Woodsmen are gathering the bundles of trees, above, in the loading yard of one of the greatest shippers in Nova Scotia.

of Mr. and Mrs. Tielmann of 263 Peoria street, tried his hand at authorship with disastrous results last Monday. The young boy struck at the typewriter keys, but the keys struck back. A few minutes later he was taken to Junipero Serra hospital where a key ring from the typewriter was removed from his right index finger.

The Rev. John Glaspe, 820 Larchmont drive, pastor of the Broadmoor Community Presbyterian church, received quite a gift this week for his years of work. The gift was three duets for the Rose Bowl game and the Pasadena Tournament of Roses. Seems one of his "flock," from a church in southern California, where he once preached, sent the tickets to Broadmoor as a Christmas gift. Needless to say, Rev. Glaspe, his wife, and daughter, Marie Jean, are going to be out of town for the first of the year. We hope he enjoys the game and the long deserved vacation. While he is gone, The Rev. Herrick Lane will take over the pulpit in the church.

Mrs. Marion McKaskle, 315 Wellington, makes it back in this column again with the announcement that she is the new president of Gamma Chi, society of young women of the Temple Lutheran Church, Bayview and Latona. She was elected to this honorary position after many years of working for the church. The society is a splendid form of charity, in that it gives many gifts and donations to worthy causes from here to Europe. Oh yes, Mrs. McKaskle is employed in the city's water department, and she won the election without the help of any knowledge she might have gained by watching politicians around the seat of government.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex R. Cameron, will be in Daly City for Christmas this year for the first time in the past 10 years. Mrs. Cameron, and husband, are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Loomis, 115 Flournoy street. Although both of the Camerons are natives of this area, and attended Crocker and Jefferson High school, they are now living in Tampa, Florida. Mrs. Cameron assures us they didn't move because of the weather. They plan to be here until after Christmas, and then will return to the land of sunshine. We are happy to report that Mrs. Cameron renewed her subscription to the "Record" this week, and she has been receiving the paper in Florida since she moved. She states it is an "excellent way to keep up with the home town."

DALY CITY - COLMA



Singing the traditional Christmas carols, Girl Scouts from Broadmoor Troops 17 and 19 entertained the Lions Club at their Wednesday meeting.

After the songs, the Lions launched into their annual Christmas party. This consisted of exchanging gifts with one another and lifting their own voices in joyous song.

Prize gift of the day was given to E. A. Weisenburger, city clerk of Colma. We are unable to report

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION

WHEREAS GEORGE A. SHARP and VIRGINIA S. SHARP, husband and wife, by deed of trust dated December 3, 1947 and recorded in Book 1502 at page 193, in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, California, did grant and convey the premises therein and hereinafter described to SAN MATEO COUNTY TITLE COMPANY, a corporation, as trustee, to secure, among other things, the payment of a promissory note, executed on December 3, 1947 by the said George A. Sharp and Virginia S. Sharp for the principal sum of \$3,025.00 with interest from date until paid at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable in installments including interest at the rate of \$25.00 per month; and

WHEREAS default has been made under the said deed of trust and the said note in that the installments of principal and interest due on July 3, 1949 and thereafter and a portion of the installment due May 3, 1949 were not at the due date and have never since been paid; and

WHEREAS, the said deed of trust provides that if default be made in the payment of any of the sums of principal and interest when due, the owner and holder of said note may declare the whole of the principal and interest thereof immediately due and payable and require the said trustee to sell the property thereby granted; such sale to be made after the holder of said note shall have filed in the office of the county recorder of the county where the property is situated, a notice of such breach and of election to sell, and three months shall have elapsed from the date of said recording; and

From the "Record" 20 Years Ago December 20, 1929

The annual Christmas tree entertainment will be held in front of city hall this Friday evening. Among the guest artists will be Miss Muriel Mosconi, John Degliantoni, Mrs. Louise Adams, Eleanor Bodien, Janet Bernardi, Gladys Eldrup.

Mrs. Eva Page and Mrs. L. Light were in charge of the recent Woodrow Wilson PTA country store and dance.

On Saturday evening the Veterans Firemen's Association of Daly City and Company No. 1 dedicated Company No. 1's new firehouse and the Veterans Firemen's new hall.

The wedding of Miss Helen Hart and Mrs. Gussie Suhr was solemnized last Saturday evening.

Among the many gifts advertised for Christmas were these items (note those prices): Corona typewriter, \$39.50; silk dresses, \$7.95; raincoats, \$3.95; a Majestic radio, complete with tubes, \$137.

And the special Christmas "100 per cent talking, 100 degree loving" movie at the Daly City Theatre was "The Squall," featuring Myrna Loy, Loretta Young, Alice Joyce and Zasu Pitts.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

Notice of Intention To Engage in the Sale Of Alcoholic Beverages

November 30th, 1949

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that 15 days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

7379 Mission St., Daly City Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance by transfer of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for the premises as follows:

ON SALE GENERAL Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial provided by law. The premises are now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

ALFREDO ROSINO JOSEPH PICARDO JR. (Pub. Dec. 22, 1949.)

BY CLIFTON H. WOODHAMS, Secretary First Publication: December 1, 1949. EDMOND L. FISH Attorney at Law 1871 19th Avenue San Francisco 22, California Montrose 4-2048 (Pub. Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22, 1949.)

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the nature of the present, but it gave everyone, including Weisenburger, a good laugh.

At the same meeting, City Councilman Mel Battye agreed to don the traditional whiskers and padding of Santa Claus Saturday. He and other Lions will pass out the toys gathered in the Lions drive to various needy children in the Daly City area.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE

No. 108438, Dept. No. 9

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

In the Matter of the Estate of OLE J. SNEIDE, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, ANTHONY VARALLI, Guardian of the Person and Estate of VIRGINIA VARALLI, an incompetent person, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder for cash, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation by the above-entitled Court on or after the 30th day of December, 1949 in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California the following described real property belonging to the estate of said incompetent:

All that real property situated in the Town of San Carlos, County of San Mateo, State of California described as follows: Lot 4, in Block 53, as designated on that certain map entitled "WHITE OAKS TRACT SUBDIVISION NO. 4, SAN CARLOS, CALIFORNIA," which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on May 28, 1926 in Liber 14 of Maps at pages 1, 2 and 3.

Terms and Conditions of Sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States, with ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price to be paid at the time of the acceptance of the bid and the balance on confirmation of sale by the above-entitled Court. All bids or offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of Sylvester Andriano, Esquire, 550 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California, or may be delivered to the guardian personally, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the sale.

Dated at San Francisco, California this 9th day of December, 1949.

ANTHONY VARALLI
Guardian of the Person and Estate of VIRGINIA VARALLI, an incompetent person.
SYLVESTER ANDRIANO
Attorney for Guardian
550 Montgomery Street
San Francisco, California
(Pub. Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1949.)

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE OF SALE

No. 110023

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOSEPH F. DEMARTINI, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Joseph Demartini, deceased, will on or after the 24th day of December, 1949, sell at private sale to the highest and best bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, subject to confirmation by the said Superior Court, all the right, title, interest and estate which the above named decedent had at the time of his death, as well as all the right, title, interest and estate which has by operation of law or otherwise accrued in the above entitled estate of said decedent since the date of his death, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain real property situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 12 and 13 in Block 13 as delineated on that certain map entitled "Map of Princeton By The Sea, Half Moon Bay, San Mateo County, California."

Together with improvements thereon.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States of America; 10% of the sale price to be paid upon acceptance of offer and the balance to be paid on confirmation of sale by the Court. Taxes and insurance to be prorated as of date of recordation of deed. Title report and policy at expense of purchaser.

All bids and offers must be in writing and may be delivered to the undersigned administrator or left at the office of his attorney, Norman A. Eisner, 1074 Mills Building, San Francisco, California, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court above named at any time after the first publication of this notice, and before the making of said sale.

Dated: December 2nd, 1949.

LOUIS J. DEMARTINI
Administrator of the estate of Joseph F. Demartini, deceased
NORMAN A. EISNER
Attorney for Administrator
1074 Mills Building, San Francisco, California.
(Pub. Dec. 8, 15, 22, 1949.)

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NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

No. 115922

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Person and Estate of VIRGINIA VARALLI, Incompetent.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, ANTHONY VARALLI, Guardian of the Person and Estate of VIRGINIA VARALLI, an incompetent person, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder for cash, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation by the above-entitled Court on or after the 30th day of December, 1949 in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California the following described real property belonging to the estate of said incompetent:

All that real property situated in the Town of San Carlos, County of San Mateo, State of California described as follows: Lot 4, in Block 53, as designated on that certain map entitled "WHITE OAKS TRACT SUBDIVISION NO. 4, SAN CARLOS, CALIFORNIA," which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on May 28, 1926 in Liber 14 of Maps at pages 1, 2 and 3.

Terms and Conditions of Sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States, with ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price to be paid at the time of the acceptance of the bid and the balance on confirmation of sale by the above-entitled Court. All bids or offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of Sylvester Andriano, Esquire, 550 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California, or may be delivered to the guardian personally, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the sale.

Dated at San Francisco, California this 9th day of December, 1949.

ANTHONY VARALLI
Guardian of the Person and Estate of VIRGINIA VARALLI, an incompetent person.
SYLVESTER ANDRIANO
Attorney for Guardian
550 Montgomery Street
San Francisco, California
(Pub. Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1949.)

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NOTICE OF SALE

No. 110023

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOSEPH F. DEMARTINI, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Joseph Demartini, deceased, will on or after the 24th day of December, 1949, sell at private sale to the highest and best bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, subject to confirmation by the said Superior Court, all the right, title, interest and estate which the above named decedent had at the time of his death, as well as all the right, title, interest and estate which has by operation of law or otherwise accrued in the above entitled estate of said decedent since the date of his death, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain real property situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 12 and 13 in Block 13 as delineated on that certain map entitled "Map of Princeton By The Sea, Half Moon Bay, San Mateo County, California."

Together with improvements thereon.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States of America; 10% of the sale price to be paid upon acceptance of offer and the balance to be paid on confirmation of sale by the Court. Taxes and insurance to be prorated as of date of recordation of deed. Title report and policy at expense of purchaser.

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NOTICE OF PRIVATE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

No. 114766, Dept. No. 9

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM FORD HIGBY, also known as W. F. HIGBY, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, ELEANOR HIGBY, Administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of William Ford Higby, also known as William F. Higby, also known as W. F. Higby, Deceased, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States of America, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter stated and subject to confirmation by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, on or after the 29th day of December, 1949, all the right, title, interest and estate of said William Ford Higby, also known as William F. Higby, also known as W. F. Higby, Deceased, at the time of his death, in and to the real property described as follows:

That certain real property situate in the City of Burlingame, County of San Mateo, State of California, viz:

Lot No. 10 in Block No. 31 as shown on that certain map entitled "Map of Easton Addition to Burlingame No. 2, San Mateo Co. Cal." filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County December 8, 1905 in Book "A" of Original Maps at page 72 and copied into Book 3 of Maps at page 93.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States of America; ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price to be paid at the time of the acceptance of the bid and the balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court; search and examination of title, deeds and instruments of title at the expense of the purchaser.

All bids or offers must be made in writing, accompanied by cash or certified check for ten per cent (10%) of the amount bid and may be left at the office of Peart, Baraty & Hassard, Attorneys for said administratrix, 111 Sutter Street, San Francisco, California, or may be delivered to the undersigned administratrix personally, or said bids or offers may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court, which is the place to which return of sale can be made, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated: December 5, 1949.

ELEANOR HIGBY,
Administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of William Ford Higby, alias, deceased.
PEART, BARATY & HASSARD
Attorneys for Administratrix
111 Sutter Street
San Francisco 4, California
(Pub. Dec. 8, 15, 22, 1949.)

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 16211

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

In the Matter of the Estate of SOULTON KINNOO, also known as SOULTON KINNO, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned WILLIAM KHINOO, EXECUTOR of the LAST WILL and TESTAMENT of SOULTON KINNOO, also known as SOULTON KINNO, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or present the same, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said WILLIAM KHINOO, EXECUTOR at c/o FAHEY, BOCCI & GALLEN, No. 3 Wellington Ave., Daly City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated this 28th day of November, A. D. 1949.

WILLIAM KHINOO,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Soutlon Kinnoo, also known as Soutlon Kinno, Deceased.

THOMAS L. BOCCI, JR.
FAHEY, BOCCI & GALLEN
Attorneys for Executor

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION

WHEREAS GEORGE A. SHARP and VIRGINIA S. SHARP, husband and wife, by deed of trust dated December 3, 1947 and recorded in Book 1502 at page 197, in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, California, did grant and convey the premises therein and hereinafter described to SAN MATEO COUNTY TITLE COMPANY, a corporation, as trustee, to secure, among other things, the payment of a promissory note, executed on December 3, 1947, by the said George A. Sharp and Virginia S. Sharp for the principal sum of \$475.00 with interest from date until paid at the rate of 6 per cent per annum all payable 6 months after the date thereof; and

WHEREAS default has been made under the said deed of trust and the said note in that the principal and interest due upon said note on June 3, 1948, was not then and has never since been paid; and

WHEREAS the said deed of trust provides that if default be made in the payment of any of the sums of principal and interest when due, the owner and holder of said note may declare the whole of the principal and interest thereon immediately due and payable and require the said trustee to sell the property thereby granted; such sale to be made after the holder of said note shall have filed in the office of the county recorder of the county where the property is situated, a notice of such breach and of election to sell, and three months shall have elapsed from the date of said recording; and

WHEREAS STOWE A. WEBER AND U. S. SOWARD, partners, the owner and holder of said note did declare that default had been made as aforesaid and did declare the whole of the principal and interest immediately due and payable and thereupon on August 16, 1949 did record in the said county recorder's office in Book 1701 of Official Records at page 338, due notice of such breach and of election to sell the premises hereinafter described to accomplish the objects of the trusts therein expressed;

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, by virtue of the authority in it vested by said deed of trust, the undersigned will as trustee, sell at public auction in the manner provided by law to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States on Friday December 23, 1949 at 11 o'clock A.M., at the Middlefield Road Entrance of the County Court House, Redwood City, California, all the interest conveyed to and held by the aforesaid decedent of trust in and to all that certain real property set forth therein, situated in the town of Brisbane, County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly described as:

Lots numbered twenty-three and twenty-four in Block numbered sixteen as shown on that certain map entitled "Amended Map of Subdivision Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of City of Visitation, California" filed in the Office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County on October 14, 1908 in Book 6 of Maps at page 45.

For the purpose of paying the balance due upon the principal sum of said note, to-wit: the sum of \$422.13, together with interest thereon from December 17, 1948, as provided in said note; sums if any advanced under the terms of said deed of trust; the expenses of said sale and the compensation of said trustee and reasonable counsel fees, as therein provided. Terms of Sale, cash in lawful money of the United States.

DATED: November 28, 1949.

SAN MATEO COUNTY TITLE COMPANY, TRUSTEE

BY CLIFTON H. WOODHAMS, Secretary

First Publication: December 1, 1949.

EDMOND L. FISH Attorney at Law 1871 19th Avenue San Francisco 22, California Montrose 4-2048 (Pub. Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22, 1949.)

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CIRCULATE AN INITIATIVE PETITION IN SAN MATEO COUNTY

Notice is hereby given, by the undersigned proponents, of their intention to circulate an initiative petition in the County of San Mateo, State of California, petitioning the Board of Supervisors of said County to submit proposed amendments to the charter of the County of San Mateo to the qualified voters of said County at a special election to be held in conjunction with and at the same time as the direct primary election to be held June 6, 1950.

The reasons for the proposed amendments are: to provide a proper check on County expenditures; to elect supervisors by district; and to clarify the duties of the executive and legislative branches of county government. WILLIAM A. DEGLIANTONI MRS. VERA CALDERON Publish December 22, 1949.

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COLMA --- BROADMOOR GARDEN VILLAGE

Santa Drops Down Eymydian Institute Chimney For Party

Coming down the proverbial brick chimney, Santa Claus this Tuesday popped into the annual Colma Eymydian Institute No. 154, YLI, Christmas party.

On hand to greet St. Nick at Holy Angels parish hall were members, their husbands and children. Although the young folks seemed to have taken the whole thing quite calmly, the oldsters had a great time shaking the hand of the December 25 provider.

Reaching down into his sack, Santa passed out gifts of candy and ice cream (packed in a special compartment) to all present. He also had a variety of small gifts for the children. They took these with much thanks, and whispered into his frosty ear that they hoped for other presents on Christmas.

Following several Christmas carols, rendered by the members, children and their parents gathered around a large Christmas tree to watch the mystery of members exchanging gifts with "secret pals." It is reported that now the secret is out, the pals are still friends.

Meanwhile, the members brought cheer to the sick this week when they sang various Christmas carols at the Villa Sanitarium and Junipero Serra hospital today, December 22.

Miss Mary Belli was in charge of the choir.

Returning to last Tuesday's Christmas party, credit must be given for all the arrangements to none other than Mesdames Gertrude Stanghellini, Elsie Belli, Louise Oleese and Edith Giusti. Also assisting was Miss Jean Belli.

So help us, it was really Santa Claus, so we are unable to give the name of the gentleman in the red suit.

Carols Xmas Eve In Broadmoor

Carolers from the Broadmoor Presbyterian church will bring Christmas in song to the Village Saturday evening between 8 and 10 p.m.

The young people's choir, under the direction of Fred Hilyer, will make the rounds of Broadmoor and Garden Village singing the favorite Christmas carols.

Following their songs, they will meet at the home of Rev. John Glasse for refreshments.

Meanwhile, adorned in colorful roway apparel, the three wise men of the Christmas story can be seen now on the lawn of the Broadmoor Community Presbyterian church, 87th west of Junipero Serra boulevard.

One of the wise men is astride a camel that rises eight feet into the air. During the evening the wise men are lighted by beautiful flood lighting.

County Refuses Plans To Build Colma Theatre

There won't be a drive-in theater at Colma between Junipero Serra and El Camino Real for some time to come.

That was the conclusion reached last Friday when the county planning commission squashed an application for rezoning the proposed site so a theater could be built.

Principal reason put forth for denying the rezoning was that the theater was too close to the cemeteries. It was also asserted that the theater would create potential traffic hazards.

Applying to build the movie house was I. R. Nunez. His application was fought by the Cypress Lawn Cemetery association and the Associated Cemeteries in addition to the division of highways.

Roofers Donate Time To Put On Colma Center Roof

Thanks to the generosity of two Daly City roofing companies, the Colma Community Center, Dunk Street, will soon have a new roof.

Readers will recall that several parties were held at the center recently to raise money to put on the roof. The parties were successful, but only a little over \$200 was taken in. The cost of a new roof is about \$700.

It looked like a long time before the center would have a new roof. Then Bill Deglantoni, owner of the American Roof Maintenance Co., stepped in and said he would see what could be done.

He contacted Alex Johnson, 142 Winchester, and Johnson agreed to donate his time and the time of his roofers free of charge to put on the roof.

Next Bill got permission from Roofers Union Local No. 40 to have his men and himself donate free time to putting on the roof.

Now the cost of labor was eliminated. Bill went to the Pabco shingle company. They agreed to sell the necessary roofing materials at cost.

Presto, the Colma community center found that its \$200 would cover the cost of the roof.

They haven't set the date for putting on the roof, but watch the "Record." When they start putting down those shingles, Bill and Alex are going to welcome some help from all Colma residents.

Playgrounds Open During Holidays

During the Christmas vacation the following recreation facilities are open to youngsters in Daly City:

Marchbanks Park, daily except Sunday from 10 a. m. until 5 p. m.

Colma Rolls Out Welcome Mat For Santa Tuesday

Colma played host to Santa Claus and the children of the community Tuesday night at the first of what is expected to be an annual Christmas party.

Some 60 young folks from the community gathered in the town hall to greet the old fellow and receive many small gifts out of himis bag.

The hall was decorated in the holiday motif with a large Xmas tree as the center of attraction.

There was some "argument" at the last meeting of the Colma city council to determine who would be Santa. However, it was finally agreed that Earl Taylor, who carries quite a bit of weight around Colma, could act the part with knowledge.

All agreed that Taylor carried off the Santa Claus role in the best tradition.

The city council wishes to thank all those merchants who donated gifts to the party as well as the Olivet Memorial Park for the use of their fine organ.

Those to be specially thanked are: the cemeteries, Shaw's Candy Co., Golden State Milk Co., Relish Bakery, Baronial Bakery, Molloy's Tavern and Bud's Liquor Store.

Broadmoor Men Pass Bar Exam

Following many years of diligent study, two Broadmoor residents have passed the California state bar examination.

This was announced today by the Committee of Bar Examiners.

The two gentlemen who may now practice law in California are: Amos L. Bechold, 716 Maddux drive, and Thomas Jenkins, 1148 Nimitz drive.

They are among 490 who passed the bar examination given last October. hTis brings to 15,000 the number of persons admitted to practice law in this state.

Two Colma Men In Auto Accident

Colma was the scene of a minor automobile accident Tuesday morning.

The collision occurred at the intersection of Mateo avenue and Vale street. Behind the wheels of the machines were: Louis J. Haue, 22, rt. 1, San Pedro road, and Lauritise E. Gray, 28, 180 Mateo avenue.

Haue was coming west on Vale and Gray north on Mateo. Police said. The left front door of the Haue car was damaged, while Gray will need some repair work done on the front end of his vehicle.

Lincoln Park, daily except Sunday from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Castle Hall, daily except Sunday from 10 a.m. until noon and from 2 to 5 p.m.

The program at Castle Hall will consist of a basketball clinic daily. The 5th and 6th grade level will meet from 10 a.m. until noon and the 7th and 8th grade groups each afternoon from 2 p.m. to 5.

Christmas Services

Following are the various Christmas services to be observed this Christmas Eve and Christmas in churches of the Daly City area. Everyone, regardless of faith, is invited to attend one of the many services. Each church has planned a program both fitting and appropriate to the season, and will welcome you and your family.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 60 Wellington Ave.

Not one, but two High Masses will be recited Christmas Eve at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. Last year it was necessary to turn away many people, but with two masses in the offering there will be room for everyone.

The two High Masses will be recited at midnight Christmas Eve in the OLPH church and the OLPH school auditorium. The children's grammar school choir will be heard in the school, while ladies and high school girls will sing in the church.

On Christmas day there will be a series of masses, with Benediction following the 10:30 a. m. mass. Schedule for these services is: 6:30, 8, 9, 10:30 and 12:15.

Lutheran Church Of Broadmoor, Com. Rec. Center

Theme of the special Christmas day service at 11 a. m. will be "Christmas—Occasion of Great Joy." The service will be held in the Broadmoor Community center, White street off 87th.

Anthony King, violinist, will play special Christmas music during the service.

Meanwhile, at 9:45 a.m. Christmas day a special colored picture "Christ Is Born" will be shown for the Sunday school children.

To help keep Christ in Christmas, the church wishes to extend a cordial invitation to the residents of the Broadmoor Village-Colma-Westlake area who have no church home of their own.

Broadmoor Community Presbyterian Church, 87th & Junipero Serra

Christmas services at the Broadmoor Community Presbyterian Church, 87th street off Junipero Serra boulevard, will begin at 9:45 Sunday morning with special Sunday school services. The young children will be shown slides of the Nativity.

Then, at 11:15 a. m., the regular morning services will begin with special Christmas music by the church choir. The Rev. John Glasse will deliver his sermon, "The Other Shepherds."

All residents of Broadmoor, Colma, and Daly City are cordially invited to attend the aforesaid services.

Bethel Lutheran Church 2525 Alemany

Two Christmas services will be conducted at Bethel Lutheran Church, Alemany boulevard and Huron avenue. Christmas Eve will be observed with a candlelight service beginning at 10:30 p.m. Christmas music will be rendered on the organ and chimes by the organist and choirmaster, Mrs. Ruth Peterson. The choir will lead the congregation in the singing of Christmas carols. Marilyn Meyer, the soloist, will sing "Cantique de Noel," "The Angels Song" is the subject of the message of the pastor, the Rev. Herbert P. Schroeder.

Christmas Day will be celebrated with a festival service beginning at 10:45 a.m. Special musical selections will be offered on the organ and chimes, and also by the choir. Marilyn Rieschel will present violin numbers with organ accompaniment by Mrs. Ruth Peterson. The pastor will deliver the sermon for the day. The subject is "God's Gift to Man."

Sunday school will be conducted next Sunday as usual at 9:30 a.m.

Lutheran Church Of Our Savior, J. S. Blv.d. & Gartfield

Friday, December 24, a special program will be put on at the Lutheran Church of Our Savior for the young folks in the community. The program will begin at 7:30 p.m.

In addition to slides of the Nativity, special music appropriate to Christmas will be played. The Rev. Robert Konzelman and Shirley Pimentel, 772 Head street, will produce a Christmas play for the children. Also there will be a tree and presents handed out to the boys and girls.

At the regular worship hour, Sunday at 11 a. m., Rev. Konzelman will deliver a sermon, "Behold, What Matter of Love. Special organ music will be played to mark the festival service.

Holy Angels Church, Colma

Two Christmas Eve masses will be recited at Holy Angels Church at midnight. One mass will be in the church and the other is scheduled for the parish hall.

Leading the choir of women will be Miss Mary Belli. The choir will sing various Christmas carols and Missa De Angelis.

Christmas day High Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. with Benediction following. Other masses will be recited at: 6, 7, 8:30, 9:30 and 12:15.

Members of the choir to sing at the Christmas Eve services include: Mesdames Henry Fuchs and N. Cassentini; Misses Mae Varni, Louise Baccico, Betty Welp, Caroline Fuchs, Jean Pucicelli.

"South Of The Border, Down Daly City Way Has Definite Advantages" -- Bodien

How does it feel to be living in a "border" town?

Ask that question of most residents and they will look around to see if your not talking to someone else.

But it's true enough, this is a "border" community, and time was when just living over the San Francisco county line was mighty lucrative and confusing.

Recently, however, city ordinances have been catching up with geographical and political factors. For example, last week the city council outlawed the use and sale of B.B. guns in this community. Up until that time merchants here were benefiting by the fact that years ago the "weapons" were banned in San Francisco. Young nimrods from across the line were coming here to buy the contraband rifles.

Then, a good many years ago when fiteuffs was outlawed in San Francisco, the boys would slide over the line for a good battle down in Colma. This resulted in many a dollar pouring into the community and San Mateo county.

Some of the most novel cases were right on the county line. Take the case of the reluctant bartender.

As Daly City's unofficial historian, A. J. Bodien explains that at one time there was a bar just on the county line. In fact the border ran right through the middle of the sawdust floor.

Consequently, when the San Francisco agents came around to collect license fees from the bartender, he merely moved his bottles across the room, and into San Mateo county. No license fee would he

Elderly Daly City Man Sustains Minor Cuts When Hit By Car

Richard C. Burgess, 73, 150 E. Vista avenue, today is recovering from minor injuries he received Wednesday when hit by a car in San Francisco.

Police said that Burgess was crossing Huron and Mission sts. yesterday afternoon when he was hit by a car driven by Fred Piper, 78, 599 Templeton.

The force of the collision knocked the elderly Daly City man to the street. However, police reports indicate that he only suffered minor bruises.

pay to a county where he didn't operate.

Naturally enough, the wily gent pulled the same act when the San Mateo tax collectors dropped around.

This went on for a good many years, until finally the tax collectors began to compare notes. Bodien reports the bar went out of business soon afterwards.

Even today, however, persons living right on the county line have certain advantages.

For example, when an unwelcome caller rings up on the telephone, the good spouse answers. "Oh, no," she replies to inquiries if her husband is home. "He's gone to San Francisco."

True enough, the gentleman of the house is in the backyard, immediately over the county line.

This, we understand, happens most often when the telephone rings at 28 Rice street. 'Nough said.

Around Broadmoor Village with Verna Duste

Naturally, the big event of this past week was the arrival of Santa Claus twentieth-century style—in a helicopter, no less! The little children just stood agape, while the grown-ups ran them a very close second!

The Pink-and-Blue Dept. is, as usual, of the greatest interest to the most. Heading the list is Matthew Marshall III, who weighed in at 8 lbs. 6 oz., and calls Nimitz drive home. Roger Philip Auer arrived at St. Luke's Hospital weighing in at 8 lbs. 12 1/2 oz., while the Wesley Smiths on 87th street are pretty proud of Christine Therese, who weighed 6 lbs. even and lives (with them, natch!) on 87th street.

The Albert Hoffmanns on Wildwood are the proud parents of Larry Stephen, who weighed 6 lbs. 4 oz.

The James B. Shaws contribute Larchmont drive's addition to the Pink-and-Blue Dept. with Jennifer Adelle, who weighed in at 8 lbs 7 oz., while the John Travinskys are justly proud of their Terry Carl, who weighed 6 lbs. 14 oz. 2 pretty healthy (and growing) department this! Welcome to all the new Broadmoors.

Mrs. Ida Drake and Mrs. Jean Frisch hosted a charming Yuletide party on December 17, on 89th street, with the following couples present — the Jim Farrowes, Bill Rices, Martin Tonnisens, Tom Deals. The entertainment of the evening consisted of playing charades, and, as they say in books, "a wonderful time was had by all."

A very happy birthday to Eileen DeBernardi, who celebrated with a tea on December 23rd—celebrated twelve years, that is!

More birthday — Stephanie Christopherson up on Sweetwood drive celebrated her three years with her family, while Jo Vogel also three years of age, celebrated with her family, too.

Mrs. June Deal was the honoree at a charming stork shower given by Mesdames June Frisch and Dorothy Alpers. Guests included Mesdames Doris Johnson, Mary Torre Ilene Rice, Dorothy Tonnisens Helen Farrow, Ann Rixon, Ada Drake, Margaret Bay, Betty Shepherd, Lucy Condit, Frances, Fullan Winnie Braun, Phyllis Fowler and Dorothy Alpers.

The Garden Village Sewing Club had its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Esther Agnew.

Barry Bennier, over on Garden Gateway, celebrated his birthday by taking "the fellows" to the Empire Theatre to see "Come to

the Stable" and "Dumbo." Eight years of celebrating, too!

The annual Christmas Play given by the PTA was a huge success and went off without a hitch, too! Everyone, from Santa Claus down to the tiny Jacks-in-the-Box, were as cute as a bug's ear (and so professional!)

The Birthday Bridge Club honored Dot Goodwin this time—hostess was Mari Jene Kassow, and "all the gang was there" — Lynn Lipset, Lee Johnson, Ruth Tashro, Helen Richardson, Ginny Marovich, and Nikki Driscoll. High score—Ginny, low score—Lynn.

Judging for the first annual Christmas Decoration Contest will take place on December 22, 23, between eight and nine o'clock in the evening. The first prize will be \$50 in cash; second, \$25; third, \$15; fourth, \$10; fifth, a turkey; sixth, a turkey, and seventh, two cases of beer. No application blanks to fill out — just trim up your house and sit back and wait for that fateful knock at the door, which tells you "you won, you lucky thing!"

We're surely glad to see all the lovely decorations that are going up on all sides. St. Francis Wood phoie — come out to Broadmoor and see some real originality!

SHOPPING AROUND
As usual, the merchants on the Broadmoor Strip are doing themselves proud, with their efforts to make Christmas an even merrier one for the people of Broadmoor and Garden Village.

Carter's, the place to go for men's furnishings, is featuring some lovely cashmere pullover sweaters for men. At a new low price, they are really the answer for Christmas giving.

The Broadmoor Pharmacy, with its complete stock of famous-brand perfumes, etc., is just the spot to top for everything in fancy perumery. With a wide range of "ices, too!"

Kiddie-Ville has only a few left of their hobby-horses, which have made such a hit with the small fry. "ammy Godes advises us that toys of all kinds are really moving.

On down the Strip, Leslie's has just received a shipment of those "gorgeous pastel jerseys, for which they are justly famous. In addition, vou ladies who wear the large sizes should see the lovely winter prints in half sizes! Just darling, and reasonably priced, too!"

Well, that winds up another ditty, and, don't forget all of you—a very merry Christmas to each and every one!! Selah!!



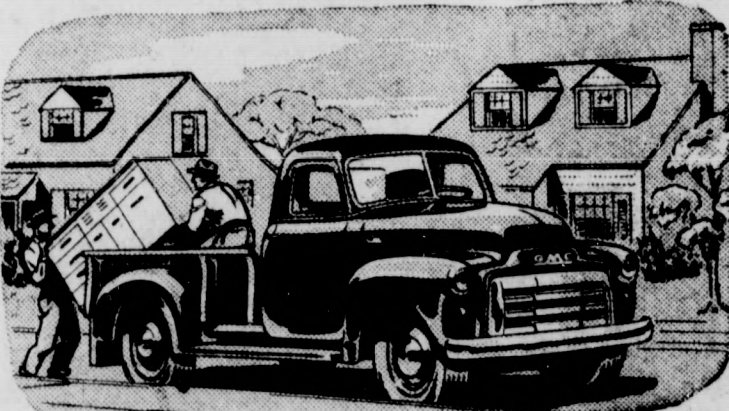
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SANTA GETS HELPING LAP FROM EAGLES' CLOWN



Taking a rest between talks with children of members of the Colma Vista Grande Aerie No. 1848, FOE, Santa rests on the lap of one of his helpers. (Watch that pipe son, his whiskers are inflammable.) The old boy attended the party here last Sunday for young Eagles. Helping him out, left to right, are Vicki Lewkowicz, Charles Carter. The gent supporting Santa is Jack Allain, while the face behind the whiskers belongs to Walter Martin. Jackie Lewkowicz is the second elf, while the derby covers the head of Joseph Lewkowicz Jr.

(Photo By Myra)



OUT FOR A RIDE—Sitting on the knee of his nurse, Miss Lightbody, little Prince Charles, son of Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh, returns to his home at Clarence House after a drive in London. Bonnie Prince Charles is now a year old.

Be Cautious Today; Be Here Tomorrow

By
Marlyn Jurras
Executive
Secretary
San Mateo
County
Safety Campaign

One of the most common causes for automobile accidents goes right back to the road hog — the driver who fights to hold the wrong right-of-way.

If you must fight over the right-of-way, pick on your own size.

The average person weighs well under 200 pounds; the average vehicle well over 4,000 pounds and up to 40,000 pounds. Would you spot hat kind of odds, and gamble with your money? Most of us would not.

Then why gamble with your life, and more important, the lives of your loved ones?

It doesn't make sense. A moment's patience, a few seconds hesitation to assure clearance and safety might save a life.

Whether on the straight road of a city or valley, or the snake-turns of a mountain, let caution be your constant companion.

If you heed not the safety and welfare of yourself, at least spare the other fellow a deathly fate. The appalling loss of life and property suffered daily on the streets and highways of San Mateo county is our personal shame.

Strict adherence to all traffic regulations and the adoption of more courteous and cautious driving habits, will help immensely to curtail this ever-increasing peril to motorists and pedestrians alike.

PRICE IS HIGH
Courtesy costs nothing, but lack of courtesy on the highway has proven extremely costly in life and property, points out the California State Automobile Association. When you drive, drive carefully and with consideration for the rights of others.



REBUILDING WARSAW—Rubble in war-torn Warsaw provides the bricks badly needed for the reconstruction of the city. Special mills, located near the devastated areas, are grinding and sorting the rubble for the concrete-mixing machines. The carts behind the horses are being loaded with rubble bound for the mill.

Thirsty Thief Gets Pop, \$10 At Westlake Market

Evidently thirsty and young, a burglar finished off four bottles of orange pop and stole \$10 in change from the Westlake Market, 301 Miriam, over the week end.

Police believe the thief was either a juvenile or very small, as he gained entrance to the market through an open lavatory window. The window is 9 inches by 12 inches.

Before going through the window, the young thug cut away some screening with a paring knife.

Once inside the store, he overturned filing cases, drawers and the cash register in his search for money.

Nothing was taken, however, except 10 in nickels and dimes and an undetermined amount of cigarettes, police said.

During his labors the burglar finished off the bottles of pop.

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For safe brakes, motorists are urged to patronize reliable sources and to insist upon the best obtainable hydraulic brake fluid.

Police report the theft took place sometime between 7:15 p.m. Saturday and 8 o'clock Sunday morning.

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That, in a measure, is as it should be; for it brings Christmas into every home, and surrounds with sanctity every birth, ennobling and sanctifying motherhood as well.

But Christmas ought to have a deeper significance as well. It is not enough to glorify or worship the Babe, bringing adoration like the shepherds, and gifts like the Wise Men. The true celebration of Christmas must be related to the whole life, and death, and resurrection in the ministry of the Savior of Men.

The note of tragedy, crowned with glory and triumph, is in the story of Christmas. It began in sadness as well as joy, as Mary pondered in her heart the strange sayings, and the prophecy of the sword that should pierce through her own heart. That prophecy was fulfilled as she followed her Son to Calvary, and stood by the cross (John 19:25).

In that hour on Calvary one could see the climax of that problem of suffering, set forth so poignantly in the portrayal of the Suffering Servant in the 53rd chapter of Isaiah. That suffering could not be in vain, but could be a part of the divine plan of blessing and redemption, was the message of that chapter, confirmed and fulfilled in the suffering and triumph of the Christ.

Even in the dark hour as the cross awaited Him Jesus could say to the disciples, "Be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

So, let our Christmas celebration be one of joy and beauty, of rejoicing in the glorious birth, of the sanctity of love, and home, and children, of the Christ who took them up in His arms and blessed them! But let it be also a celebration of victory and triumph, the Christmas of a Christ who died that we, and all men, might live!

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By Dorothy Boys Kilian

IT WAS Christmas Eve but the group of people sitting on the floor in the Reeds' living-room certainly weren't in a festive mood.

"Doggonit!" Dad exclaimed as he stared gloomily at the shiny tracks and the motionless cars of a new electric train. "What's wrong with this thing anyway?"

"We've put it together exactly according to directions. I'm sure we have," fifteen-year-old Rick insisted.

"Well, something's got to be done," said Mom, looking in from the kitchen where she was stuffing the turkey. "Little Jackie's been praying for that train for months, and how'll he feel tomorrow morning if the thing won't run?"

"Maybe Ralph can help. He's coming by for me in a few minutes, you know," said Wilma, the pretty big sister of the family.

"Oh, him!" Rick was scornful. "That guy from the big city with his socks and ties and handker-



He picked up the shiny black engine carefully and turned it over and over. He put it up to eye level and peered into "workings."

chiefs that match! What does he know about motors?"

"Rick!" Mom reproved. "Oh, I know you all think of him as an outsider," Wilma said. "If you only really knew him better! Mom, I do wish you'd let me ask him to breakfast tomorrow."

"I'm sorry dear, but I just don't think he'd fit in."

The doorbell rang. Wilma answered it and she and Ralph exchanged happy hellos.

Rick immediately threw out the challenge to the tall, blond, well-dressed young man. "We can't make this train go. Can you tell what's wrong with it?"

"Maybe," Ralph said quietly. "I used to have a train something like this."

"Look out, that cotton batting stuff will stick to your trousers," Dad warned.

"That's snow, and the snow around here is clean," Dad looked slightly startled.

Wilma smiled. She remembered how impressed Ralph had been by the whiteness of the drifts even on Main street last night.

"The flakes are practically sooty before they even reach the ground in Chicago," he had said.

"Tracks are O.K." Ralph straightened up. Then he picked up the shiny black engine carefully and turned it over and over. He put it up to eye level and peered into its workings.

"The professional touch!" Rick muttered.

"There may be oil in the commutator," Ralph said. "That sometimes happens with a new engine. I'll see if I can get it out."

"I'll get you a rag, Ralph, just a minute," Wilma got up and started for the kitchen.

"Never mind, this'll do," Ralph answered, pulling his perfectly folded wine-colored handkerchief out of his jacket pocket.

He worked quietly for a moment, gently poking the corner of the handkerchief into the inside of the engine. Then he set the engine carefully down on the track and said, "Turn on the juice, will you Rick?"

Rick meekly moved forward the black lever at the transformer. There was a whirring sound, the wheels began to move, and the little puff-billy whizzed and clacked around the curve.

"Praises be!" Dad heaved a loud sigh of relief.

Ralph quietly got up from the floor and turned to Wilma. "Maybe we'd better go now, if we want to catch the gang."

"Alright, Ralph," Wilma said. Her eyes turned pleadingly to Mrs. Reed. "Mom—"

"Oh, yes, Wilma," Mom interrupted. Turning to Ralph she said heartily, "In all the excitement we almost forgot to ask you to be sure to come over for late breakfast with us tomorrow. It's just a simple family affair, but we really would like to have you with us."

"You bet," Dad's eyes twinkled. "Something might go wrong with it again and we'd feel safer with you around to fix it."



In Virginia, the old Dominion, storied land of early American history, there is an old tradition of the origin of the Yule log that is retold every Christmas.

As the family sits around the Yule log and sips their Christmas eggnog on Christmas eve, the ancient legend is recounted again.

One very cold Christmas eve, when the frosty wind howled across a world of snow, an old man was sitting in his little cabin wishing that he had a fire to warm him.

Suddenly he heard the cry of a little child away out in the cold. The old man hobbled to the door and gazed out across the snow. The wind and the snow came rustling in and the old man shivered until his "onliest two tee" chattered with cold.

The plaintive cry of the child came again above the whistle of the wind. It went straight to the old man's heart and he wished with all his power of longing that he might have the strength to go out and find the unfortunate babe.

The cry came a third time — and then a wondrous thing happened. A miraculous power filled the old man's veins. His muscles became strong and tense, his crutch fell back into the cabin and he stepped from his threshold out into the snow.

Hurrying over the snow with a speed he had not owned since boyhood, by and by he came to a little child lying in a snow bank. He bent down and touched the child and a great new strength flowed over him, a strength which seemed to give him wings as he sped back to his cabin.

Arriving there, he placed the child upon the bed, tenderly drew the ragged coverlet about it and then looked to see if there were a bit of furniture he could use to make a fire with which to warm the little one.

At that precise moment a great log rolled across the threshold and into the fireplace. The little child looked at the log with eyes like stars — stars which sent gleams of light that kindled the log with the most brilliant fire the old man ever had seen.

The dingy little room immediately was filled with radiance and warmth, and as the light enveloped the child he laughed and laughed with a melody like a song from the heart. The old man turned his eyes to where the fire burned and watched the flames leap in beautiful rainbow tints over the log, and as his old eyes watched, the colors seemed to form the shape of the Cross in the fire.

The flames of the Cross leaped higher and higher, blue, red, yellow and white, and as the old man watched this display, suddenly and magically there appeared a table in the center of the room, covered with a Christmas feast such as never before had been spread before his eyes. And never again was the old man hungry or cold, and never after that was there a Christmas in old Virginia without the Yule log and the Christmas Child to give light and warmth.

And that is the story of the Yule log as it is told in Virginia every Christmas eve.

The ideal Christmas tree is the fir, because of its tendency to hold its needles longer.

A final step in trimming the Christmas tree is frosting it with fluffy snow. A simple and popular form of snow is ordinary soap flakes.

**Merry Christmas!
Merry Christmas!
Merry Christmas!**

STRICTLY FRESH

LABOR leaders aren't particular how many people jump on their pension bandwagon. They would even like to arrange to retire on a pension their old adversary, Senator Taft.

Washington police were hunting for a swindler who passed a bad



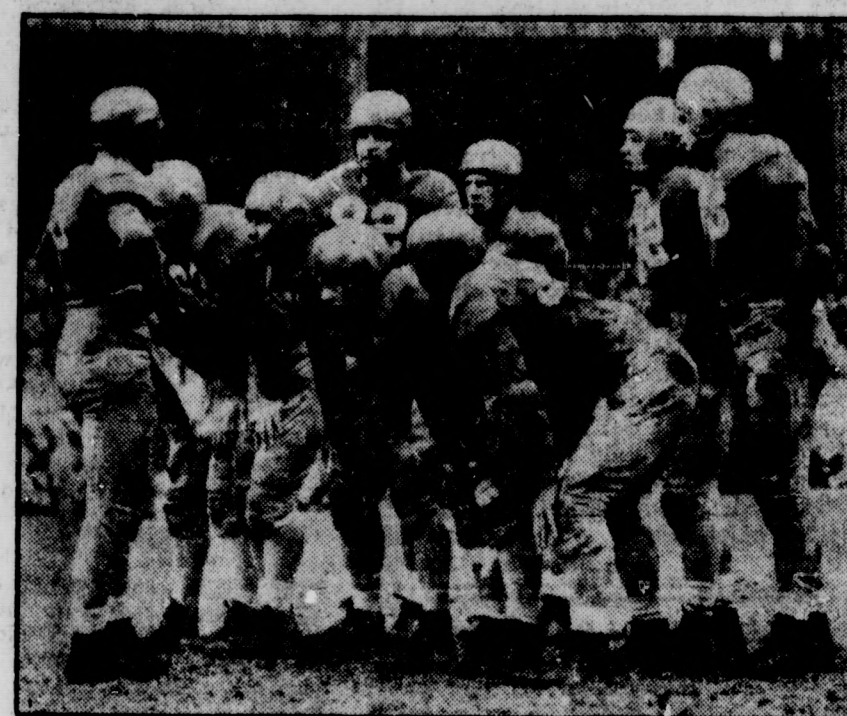
check signed with an X. A hot one, that was.

Make friends with your nerves, a medical expert advises. But the trouble is, Doc, they're so dog-gone jumpy.

A three-year-old Cleveland boy got his hand caught in a pinball machine. The firemen who came to release him were really on the ball.



FOR DUTCH CHRISTMAS—Hollander Peter Kien, 4, points to the address of an orphanage in Holland, for which this crate of candy is destined. His 6-year-old sister Marja looks carefully at the names on the crate. Miss Elsa Gross, Bronx member of the Open House Y-Teen Club of the YWCA, holds other packages to be wrapped. Teen-agers of the YWCA are sending "Chocolate for Christmas" overseas for undernourished youngsters in 18 countries.



MURDER, INC.—Rifkin Robert Williams, left, Notre Dame quarterback, addresses a group of 10 husky teammates at Yankee Stadium, N. Y., in this new type huddle. Fred Wallner, 63, Leon Hart, 82, and the rest of them have been terrorizing gridirons all fall.

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HOLD YOUR FIRE, SMALL FRY—These ducks came swimming by the poised gun of young hunter Skippy Flaks near Fox Lake, Ill., but he didn't dare open fire. It was just before official opening of the duck-hunting season in Illinois.

Away in a Manger

The Stable of Bethlehem did not in any way resemble the airy porticoes—complete with plaster of paris animals and adoring shepherds—so dear to the heart of modern Christendom.

With comfort increasing throughout the western world, the poverty of the Nativity scene simultaneously startles and fascinates us—as perhaps Matthew, the publican, was impressed by the story of the Wise Men; and St. Luke, who had been a ship's doctor and probably knew very little about shepherds, was charmed by the shepherds abiding in the field.

There was no room in the inn that night, so Jesus was born in a stable; a place of shelter hewn into a rocky ledge of the Judean countryside. It was cold and dark and damp, and Judean travelers—frequently 'put up' in such caves—welcomed rather than disdained joint tenancy with beasts because the breath of the cattle and the heat of their bodies provided a little warmth, while the guests inside the inn had no heat at all.

The cave, which was the birthplace of the Saviour, is now a grotto beneath Bethlehem's Church of the Nativity; and though fascinated by the simplicity of the original Nativity scene, Christianity has been unwilling to maintain its poverty and has covered the entire surface with costly ornamentation.



By Vera Tarpley

"BUT THEY don't believe in Christmas, Jim—you know that." Laura wished she hadn't spoken quite so loudly; her remark had stopped in midstream three rapid-running conversations. Her guests studied the rug pattern. Jim merely looked at his wife in silence.

"I mean, after all," she went on, "it's not their religion... so I assumed it would be embarrassing to them—to invite them to our Christmas party." She swallowed uncomfortably.

"And I assumed that this party was for all the fellows in our office, including Ben." He smiled then, but didn't soften the accusation. Everyone in the room knew of the close friendship between Jim and Ben—they only guessed at his wife's resentment of the friendship.



"He asked us to sing 'Silent Night' and guess what? He gave us ten dollars! And she invited us in and gave us candy and cookies."

Mr. Adams, office manager, broke the silence next. "I wouldn't worry about it too much, Jim. After all, Christmas is..." He emptied his glass and returned it to the coffee-table. "And we all feel a little differently about the holidays than they do."

About nine o'clock carolers came to the door, singing lustily and slightly off-key. "Let every heart prepare him room..." The oldest caroler was scarcely twelve. He rattled a box full of coins. Mr. Adams snatched the donation box from him, ceremoniously deposited nine pennies, and passed from guest to guest, bowing after each donation. Everyone put in nickels and dimes. Jim put in a five-dollar bill and everyone shouted "Show-off!" Laura was annoyed but kept still. Laura and Jim's little girl, Bonny, was out caroling too, but her group covered a different neighborhood.

No one noticed much when the telephone rang later in the evening and Jim went to answer it. But they noticed Jim's face when he returned to the living-room—it was white and twitched unpleasantly. Laura walked over to him. "Who was it, dear?"

"It was Ben—he called to apologize for not coming tonight."

"His daughter's been in Children's Hospital for the past month, you know."

Adams broke in. "Say, that's right—Ben said she was pulling out of it—that was last week I believe. How's she doing, did he say?"

"She died this afternoon."

Nobody seemed to have anything more to say after that. The party broke up within the next half-hour.

Just as the Adamses were leaving, Bonny came in from caroling. She was flushed with happiness and excitement. Laura clutched her in her arms convulsively.

"Did your group make a big haul tonight, Bonny?"

"Did we!" she gasped. "We got more than any other group I bet! And Mom, we sang for that Mr. Ben at Daddy's office, and—"

"Oh but you shouldn't have!" Laura looked at Jim with alarm.

"Why not, Mom? He asked us to sing 'Silent Night,' and guess what? He gave us ten dollars! And she invited us in and gave us candy and cookies, and gee, they're nice! And I told them hello from you and Daddy, and you know what? She cried! Isn't that funny, mother?"

Jim looked at his stricken wife and wanted to take her in his arms, but Mr. and Mrs. Adams were standing there with their mouths open, so he merely grasped her hand firmly. Bonny babbled on happily.

"And you know what else? Mr. Ben asked me what the donations went for, and when I told him he took all the money out of his wallet and put it in our box, can you imagine? And then I asked him if he had any boys or girls like us and would they like to go caroling with us and he said no. And then she started crying again and we left. Wasn't that funny?"

Mr. Adams cleared his throat. "By the way, Bonny, just what were those donations for anyway? I forgot to notice when they came around here."

"Whv, for the Children's Hospital and—or something like that—it was all printed on the box."



By Shirley Sargent

THE VERY NICEST thing about Henry Ellis, Henry had decided, was the fact that he was nine years old. He possessed another attribute variously described by his mother as stubbornness, stupidity, and the result of a one track mind.

To get something he really wanted, Henry had learned from experience, he always had to work hard and long. Pestering his mother for what he wanted came easiest.

"Why not, mom?" he begged. "Why can't I do it? I want to more than anything in the world. I'd be so good you wouldn't know me."

Finally his mother gave in to his endless teasing and what she considered impossible promises.

"All right, all right," she said.



Soundly sleeping, he lay back in the chair, in one hand a noise-maker; clutched limply in the other, a large horn. The box in his lap contained piles of confetti.

"We'll see if you can be good for a whole month and then—well, we'll see."

His long-awaited goal was in sight, but Henry had to admire his mother's shrewdness. Knowing that Rita, who was five, would keep close tab on him, Mrs. Ellis put her in Henry's charge for the month. Playing nursemaid to a five-year-old was a stern task, even when he could be as nasty as he wanted—but taking care of her on his good behavior was purely awful. All this time she would taunt her demands with "Or I'll tell mama."

Only once he told her calmly but desperately, "If I ever have any children, they'll all be boys or all be girls. I'm not going to make any little boy of mine have a little sister. No sir, I'll give him a turtle or a goat or something he wants, not a little sister."

Rita just barely listened to him before demanding, "Now be a turtle for me, Henry. Crawl like a turtle and pull your head in a shell." So Henry crawled all over the apartment like a turtle and wished he'd kept quiet—like a turtle.

The days crept past Christmas and Henry knew that being good was surely a most terrible experience. Then at last the month was over and he heard his mother asking, "Had enough of being good, Henry?"

Feeling it to be a trick question, he answered casually that "... would be fun to see the fellows again, and just sort of all over relax!" She laughed, encouraging him to go on. "Hey, mom, well, can I do it—you know?"

She kissed him, saying, "Yes." Henry yelled "Hooray" as he ran into his room. Gosh, it had been worth waiting for after all—my but he hated girls, though. Ugh! There were some very important matters to attend to before he was quite ready. They wouldn't take so long, but the waiting would. He started unwrapping his packages. Thanks to mom, life was really fine.

A little before 12 that night Mrs. Ellis, noting the silence, went into Henry's room. His lights were blazing but the boy was asleep in a chair drawn close to an open window. She walked quietly over beside him. A whole month—thirty arduous days devoted to being good—he had worked for this night, and now he was asleep with the sum total of his dreams in his lap and fists. Soundly sleeping, he lay back in the chair, in one hand a noise-maker; clutched limply in the other, a large horn. The box in his lap contained piles of confetti, while reams of paper streamers were laid neatly over the chair arms. There was a ridiculous paper hat crushed into the chair back by his head, and, on the table near him, there was another horn. It had a white card tied on it labelled simply "For mother."

So, she thought, with tears in her eyes, a little man's plan for one night had included his mother. She shook him gently, settled his hat more perky on his head, and picked up her own horn. Noise seemed suspended in the air.

"Wake up, little one track mind," she said, sitting him up straight. "Hurry and wake up so you can wish me a Happy New Year!"

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Hob-Nobbing With Literati

By Ridgely Cummings

Readers met writers the other night at San Francisco's Public Library while champagne flowed. It didn't really flow but that's the word usually used when the beverage is available.

A slender, dark-haired girl who generally is behind the desk in the reference department on the second floor, and who is extremely obliging when I pose some problem for her research activities, gave me a cookie.

Librarian Larry Clark and Library Secretary Russ Powell were the hosts and various ladies on the library staff, garbed in long gowns, passed around refreshments while some score of Bay Area authors shifted from foot to foot and made bright conversation with "Friends of the Library."

The festivities had opened in the assembly room on the third floor. This was before the champagne. Nat Schmulowitz of the Library Commission acted as master of ceremonies.

Mr. Schmulowitz, who has written a treatise on humor, proved himself a master of indirection. He said he had looked up "friend" in the dictionary for the occasion and found it meant one who is inclined to be propitious.

It would be a friendly and propitious gesture, he said if those present would make donations of rare books and print collections; if they would sponsor special activities of the library, such as securing a bookmobile, microfilm equipment and department store window exhibits.

Being in no financial condition to underwrite these worthy activities, I began to wonder why I was there. Then Mr. Schmulowitz looked meaningfully in the direction of Basil Woon, literary columnist for the San Francisco News, and added that the writing of a column dedicated to explaining the use of the public library to newspaper readers would also be regarded as a propitious act.

Mr. Woon got his innings a few minutes later when the authors were introduced and allowed to make one-minute speeches.

"It took me fifteen minutes to find the elevator for this meeting tonight," the book reviewer and novelist declared. He then made a brief pitch for more cheery surroundings in public libraries and the abolition of mausoleum aspects.

The writers were introduced alphabetically in order to spare any debate about relative literary merit. There were several important absentees, including William Saroyan, Joseph Henry Jackson, Herb Caen and John Bruce, the last three of the Chronicle staff. In fact if Messrs. Clark and Powell had thought of it they could have doubled their list of local writers by merely adding Chronicle writers Robert de Roos, Robert O'Brien and others of that paper's staff who have books to their credit.

I didn't catch all the names of those introduced but among the twenty-odd were the following: George Stewart of Berkeley, UC professor (Storm, Fire, Ordeal by Hunger); Edgar M. Kahn (Cable Car Days in San Francisco); Sam Dickson (San Francisco Kleidoscope); Julia Cooley Altrochi (Spectacular San Franciscans); Jacland Marmur (Andromeda, Sea Duty, Three Went On); Carlton Kendall (Magic Herbs); Thomas P. Brown (Place Names in California); and the above-mentioned Mr. Basil Woon, who has 17 books to his credit, including Cocktail Time in Cuba; San Francisco and the Golden Empire; Eyes West; Arizona's Yesterday; and one which was serialized locally fairly recently but the name of which slips me.

After the presentation of the writers and the introduction of Dr. Charles Albert Shumate, permanent chairman of the Friends of the Library, we adjourned to the commissioners' rooms for cigarettes and refreshments. Smoking had been prohibited during the first phase of the meeting and I noticed many of our intelligentsia fingering cigarette packs during the speeches.

It was a pleasant evening. I listened to Mr. Kendall and Mr. Woon reminisce about Paris, Madrid, Ernest Hemingway, Gertrude Stein, Floyd Dell and Carl Van Vechten. Among those present were School Superintendent Herbert Clish, Publisher George H. Allen, Publicist John Cuddy, Poetess Gladys Freeman and many others whose names I hesitate to spell without referring to the directory, a chore I will save for another volume.

Last Month TB Kills One DC Man; Four Hospitalized

Tuberculosis accounted for one death and four cases of illness in Daly City last month, the San Mateo county department of public health reported today.

Throughout the county there were 13 cases of the dread disease, four of which were fatal. Last year at the same time only four cases were reported.

However, this does not mean there is an epidemic. Quite the contrary. Health officials report everything is well under control, and the epidemic threat of the summer has been checked.

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PHOTO FINISH

Racing on the highway often ends in a photo finish, but it's the photo showing the finish of life and property. Don't speed and don't take chances, urges the California State Automobile Association.

Chicken pox accounted for five more cases of sickness in this community with gonorrhea and German measles accounting for two and one case, respectively.

Daly City Cowboys Win, Try For Prize

Mountain music paid dividends last Saturday to those gentlemen of rhythm, the "Daly City Cowboys."

Thanks to your votes, they ended first in the semi-finals of the Buda Amateur Hour. They now enter the

quarter finals and a chance for try for the \$1,000 first prize.

This Saturday, between 8 p.m. and 9 p.m. the Daly City men from the Colma Vista Grande Aerie No. 1848, F.O.E., will once again appear on the Buda Amateur Hour over KFRC. Once more they need your votes.

If they come out on top of the amateurs this Saturday, they will appear on New Year's Eve and

GOLDEN RULE

Keep in mind the "Golden Rule" of motoring when you drive, urges the California State Automobile Association. Be as courteous to other drivers as you would have them be to you.

Voting may be done either by post card, or by calling the radio station at PRospect 5-0111 during the week, or at PRospect 5-0141 at night and on Sunday.

Members of the "Daly City Cowboys" include: Pete Matthews, singing; Joseph Lewkowitz, bass fiddle; Ray Ward, guitar; Alex Storm, accordion.

Merry Christmas!



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SELECTED TEXAS YAMS	For Baking	2 Lbs. 25¢
CRISP CELERY HEARTS	12-oz. Cello Package—Each	15¢
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BUSY BAKER CRACKERS	Sodas 1-lb. Package 23¢ 2-lb. Package	45¢
N. B. C. SHREDDED WHEAT	12-oz. Package	16¢
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SHOW BOAT RICE	Long Grain, White—2-lb. Package	35¢
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TOMATO JUICE	Sunny Dawn—No. 2 Can	3 for 25¢
CHOCOLATE SQUARES	Suhard's—Milk, Almond or Crisp Reg. Pkg.	25¢
SUNSHINE HI HO CRACKERS	1-lb. Package	27¢
CANDY COATED CHOCOLATES	M & M—7-oz. Cello	23¢
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There is an old tale which becomes apropos chiefly at the Christmas time.

An agnostic—a disbeliever in God—made this offer to a nine-year old:

"I will give you an orange if you will tell me where God is." The youngster was equal to the challenge. "I will give you two oranges," he said, "if you will tell me where He is not."

Many great men have always felt the spirituality of Christmas, and some have managed to put it into words. For instance, when Woodrow Wilson was asked to prove the greatness of Christianity, whose founder was the Christ-child, he said simply, "Try it."

Cardinal Spellman had a Christmas gift for the mind when he said: "The joy of Christmas is a joy that war cannot kill, for it is a joy of the soul, and the soul cannot die. Poverty cannot prevent the joy of Christmas, for it is a joy no earthly wealth can give. Time cannot wither Christmas, for it belongs to eternity. The world cannot shatter it, for it is a union with Him who has overcome the world."

The late Franklin D. Roosevelt once illustrated the spirit of Christmas with this story:

"A thief broke into the home of a priest and stole his purse. That night the priest wrote in his diary: 'Let me be thankful. First because I was never robbed before. Second because although he took my purse, he never took my life. Third because although he took all I had it was not much. And fourth because it was he who stole, and not I.'"

Merry Christmas!

Santa Affected By Restrictions

It's difficult to understand, but the genial spirit of Christmas, Santa Claus himself, hasn't always had it easy. There have been occasions when laws or traditions or regulations have put certain curbs on the old gentleman. Here are some examples:

In Newark, N. J., Santa is required to pass a stiff physical examination before he can serve in a department store. And even then he is barred from kissing any of the children who perch upon his knee.

In Charleston, S. C., charity Santas have been forbidden to make a pitch on public streets on the grounds that children flocking in to see them may create a traffic



hazard. And in Washington a few years ago, when the postmaster general was asked to print a Santa Claus stamp at Christmas time he rejected the proposal with a scornful, "I should say not!"

Outside the U.S.A., Santa has had trouble, too. In Montreal, Canada, an influential organization fought against holding of the city's annual Santa Claus parade on the ground that it was "merely a display of grotesque and vulgar buffoonery." A prominent journalist in Rio de Janeiro fostered a movement to do away with Santa Claus (Papa Noel) in Brazil and substitute a toy-bearing grandfather Indian. In Mexico City the minister of education recommended that the Aztec god Quetzalcoatl, instead of St. Nick, should bring gifts to children.

In the field of opinion, Santa has encountered some detractors. A Prof. Ivan E. McDougall, sociologist at Goucher college, Baltimore, declared: "The Santa Claus myth has lived too long. Parents should substitute philosophy"—whatever that is.

A Toronto psychiatrist got in his blast. "It should be made clear to children," he said, "that Santa Claus is not necessarily a real man any more than any other character out of a story book."

Preventing Cattle Bloat
To keep bloating in check, hungry cows should never be turned into a lush clover pasture without first feeding them all the nutritious hay they will eat just before turning into pasture. This can be accomplished by taking cattle off pasture early in evening and feeding hay next morning before allowing on pasture.

VILLAGE SCHOOL NEAR COMPLETION

Garden Village elementary school will be completed about February 15, thus ending "swing shift" hours for pupils at Jefferson elementary school.

That was the good news given the Jefferson school board of trustees at their regular meeting last Tuesday by James Snell, superintendent.

Despite these additional classrooms, the half day school will continue at Crocker and Woodrow Wilson, Snell said. Conditions will not be back to normal in these two

schools until such time as a building is put up at Colma and other facilities provided.

Speaking on money which the state will loan the elementary school district for new schools, Snell said completed plans were already ready for state approval. Some \$250 million is to be made available, following the recent state election in which the people passed Proposition No. 1 for additional school funds.

However, part of the funds allotted by the state are to be

matched by local funds, provided through sale of bonds. Details on this count will be worked out sometime after the first of the year, Snell said.

Meanwhile, condemnation proceedings have been started for approximately 13 acres of land adjoining Market and Hillside. When this land is acquired, the school board will start work on a new Colma school.

At Tuesday's meeting the board sent a letter to District Attorney Louis Dematteis asking for immediate action on the securing of this

land. Proceedings to acquire the property were started several months ago, but to date the case has bogged down in the San Mateo county superior court.

Other business before the board last Tuesday consisted of:

1. Hugh Hammond, Royal Insurance Co., was instructed to make a complete survey of the school district for the purpose of initiating a comprehensive liability policy. Tony Gaggero was given the office burglary and robbery insurance policy business for a three-year basis.

2. A request by the chief of police

to have the afternoon double session classes dismissed one-half hour early was denied. Superintendent Snell explained that the classes were at present on the minimum legal day, and a reduction of time is not possible.

3. A letter was directed to the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors asking about the possibility of paying school crossing guards salaries. The letter was sent on the request of Mayor Paul Green.

4. A letter from Cub Pack No. 62 requesting the use of Pershing School for pack meeting place was read and approved.

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FOR WEEK BEGINNING
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23 TO
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BOY & SEA SCOUTS

Monday, 7:30 p.m. — Boy Scout Troop No. 106, Legion Hall, 474 San Diego avenue.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. — Sea Scout Ship No. 144, Vista Grande and San Diego avenues.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m. — Troop 82, Lutheran Church of Our Savior, Junipero Serra and Garfield.

CHURCHES

The Assembly of God Church, 6276 Mission street.

Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. — Bible study.
Friday, 7:45 p.m. — Christ Ambassadors service.
Sunday, 9:30 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 11 a.m. — Morning worship.
Sunday, 7:45 p.m. — Evening service.

Bethel Lutheran Church, 2525 Alemany boulevard.

Sunday, 9:30 a.m. — Sunday school and Bible class.
Sunday, 10:45 a.m. — Divine worship.

Broadmoor Community Presbyterian Church, 87th street off Junipero Serra boulevard.

Wednesday, 7 p.m. — Choir practice.
Saturday, 10-12 a.m. — Children's movies.
Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 11:15 a.m. — Morning worship.

Church of Christ, 474 San Diego.
Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 11 a.m. — Communion and sermon.
Sunday, 7 p.m. — Communion and sermon.

First United Pentecostal, 400 Crescent avenue.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. — Prayer meeting.
Friday, 8 p.m. — Services.
Sunday, 10 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 11 a.m. — Morning worship.
Sunday, 7:45 p.m. — Evangelistic service.

Grace Church of the Nazarene, Vista Grande and Santa Barbara.

Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. — Prayer meeting.
Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 10:45 a.m. — Children's worship hour.
Sunday, 10:45 a.m. — Morning worship.
Sunday, 7:45 p.m. — Evening service.

Grace Presbyterian Church, Hanover and Evergreen.

Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 11 a.m. — Morning worship.
Sunday, 7 p.m. — Young people's fellowship hour.
Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. — Choir rehearsal.

Broadmoor Village Lutheran Church, White street near 87th street.

Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 11 a.m. — Morning service.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 60 Wellington avenue.
Tuesday, 8 p.m. — Devotions.
Sunday, 6:30 a.m. — Mass.
Sunday, 8 a.m. — Mass.
Sunday, 9 a.m. — Mass.
Sunday, 10:30 a.m. — Mass.
Sunday, 12:15 p.m. — Mass.

Holy Angels Church, Colma.
Tuesday, 11 a.m. — School for children.
Tuesday, 1:30 p.m. — School for children.
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. — Perpetual Novena.
Thursday, 1:30 p.m. — School for children.
Sunday, 7 a.m. — Mass.
Sunday, 8:30 a.m. — Mass.
Sunday, 10:30 a.m. — Mass.
Sunday, 12:15 p.m. — Mass.

Lutheran Church of Our Savior, Junipero Serra and Garfield.

Saturday, 9 a.m. — Catechism classes, 13-14 years; 10:30 a.m. — Catechism classes, 11-12 years.
Sunday, 9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.
Sunday, 11 a.m. — Morning services.
Sunday, 7:30 p.m. — Evening worship.

Congregation B'Nai Israel, 67 Los Banos avenue.

Friday, 8 p.m. — Evening services.
Sunday, 10 p.m. — Sunday school.

FIRE DEPARTMENT & AUXILIARIES

Friday, 8 p.m. — Co No. 4, DCFD, Roosevelt and Peoria.
Tuesday, 8 p.m. — Meeting Ladies Auxiliary Co. No. 2, Santa Barbara and Parkview avenues.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. — Drill, Company No. 2, Santa Barbara and Parkview station.

FOLK DANCING

Thursday, 8-4 p.m. — Fifth graders, General Pershing school.
Thursday, 8:15-10:30 p.m. — Adult beginning and advanced class, Castle Hall, 7339 Mission street.

GIRL SCOUTS & BROWNIES

Friday, 9:30 a.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 3, 101 Parkview avenue.
Friday, 3 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 8, 101 Parkview.
Friday, 3:30 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 11, Peoria street firehouse.

Monday, 2:30 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 18, Colma Community Center, Dunks street, Colma.
Monday, 3:30 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 2, OLP Church parish hall.

Monday, 3 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 9, 101 Parkview avenue.
Monday, 3:30 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 1, Peoria street firehouse.

Monday, 4 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 17, Parish hall, Holy Angels Church, San Pedro road, Colma.

Tuesday, 3:30 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 5, Peoria street firehouse.
Tuesday, 4 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 3, Recreation hall, 101 Parkview avenue.

Tuesday, 5:30 p.m. — Senior Troop No. 4, Girl Scouts, 101 Parkview avenue.
Wednesday, 2:30 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 10, Colma Community Center, Dunks street, Colma.

Wednesday, 3 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 7, Peoria street firehouse.
Wednesday, 3 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 16, 101 Parkview avenue.

Wednesday, 4 p.m. — Girl Scout Troop No. 17, Colma Community Center.
Thursday, 2 p.m. — Girl Scout Troop No. 14, Peoria street firehouse.

Thursday, 2:30 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 13, Colma Community Center, Dunk street.
Thursday, 3 p.m. — Brownie Troop No. 21, 518 Hillside boulevard.

Season's Greetings



THE VILLAGE HAS A HEART

Dorothy Boys Kilian

THE CLOCK struck nine as Nola hung the last bauble on the fragrant green Christmas tree. Without even stepping back to admire the finished effect she went to the front window and peered out. A cold white moon illumined a cold white earth. She shivered. How lonely she had been in this tiny, quiet village!

When she had written Jim two months before that she was being evicted from their apartment in Chicago he had answered, "I'm hoping against hope to be home from occupation duty in time for Christmas, and I can't think of any place more perfect than my terminal to spend the holidays and my terminal leave. Remember my telling you what happy summers I spent there as a child, and how I'd always wanted to see it in winter? Do investigate this, as a Christmas present for me, Nola darling."

So she had come here and found a house. But somehow she felt that the villagers had ignored her as an outsider.

And now it was Christmas Eve. "He's not going to make it and that's that," Nola thought miserably. She knew that he had landed at San Francisco three days before and had been trying desperately to get a seat on a train or plane.



"It's me, Doc Ryan. We're on your party line you know, and heard the good news. My wife thought I'd better take you over."

Thursday, 3:30 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 12, 101 Parkview avenue.
Saturday, 9:30 a.m. — Brownie Troop No. 15, 101 Parkview.
Saturday, 10 a.m. — Girl Scout Troop No. 19, Colma Community Center.

Thursday, 3:30 p.m. — Intermediate Troop No. 16, 101 Parkview avenue.
Wednesday, 4 p.m. — Girl Scout Troop No. 17, Colma Community Center.
Thursday, 2 p.m. — Girl Scout Troop No. 14, Peoria street firehouse.

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CARLESS DRIVERS

The careless driver frequently becomes the "car-less" drivers as a result of his own actions, observes the California State Automobile Association, urging drivers to keep alert and to drive carefully at all times.

The telephone rang. "There's a telegram just come for you, Mrs. West, down here at the drug store. Very important."

"Yes!" Nola breathed.
"Chicago, 8 P.M. Am catching train. Get off Shoreham five miles east of Pineville 10 P.M. love Jim." Nola leaned heavily against the wall and stared at the phone.

"Mrs. West, are you there?" Mr. Trotter, the druggist, sounded anxious. "Listen, you go out in the garage and get your car motor to warming up. My wife'll be up there in five minutes to stay with your little boy. Hurry now."

In joyful haste Nola peeked in at Jimmy—"Santa Claus is bringing you your Daddy, honey"—powdered her nose and put on her fur coat and boots.

The garage door stuck in its icy groove although she bent her whole weight against it. Suddenly, out of the darkness, a voice called. "It's me, Doc Ryan. We're on your party line you know, and heard the good news. I'm so used to driving out in all kinds of weather, my wife thought I'd better take you over."

"Dr. Ryan, I didn't realize 'til just now how I dreaded that trip alone."

A train whistle shrieked through the cold thin air as they drove up to the little depot.

"We made it!" Nola cried exultingly. "Come on." She held open the door.

But Doc muttered, "I'll stay here and keep my feet warm."

Now the huge black engine roared past, slowed down and slid to a stop. A coach vestibule door opened, and before the conductor could step down, a khaki-clad figure leaped onto the platform.

"Oh, darling, darling, darling," Nola's heart throbbed as she felt once more the thrilling warmth of Jim's arms around her.

"Nola!" Jim said everything in that word.

A few moments later as they walked to the car a voice boomed from within, "Glad you made it."

"Whoever you are—thanks," Jim answered. "It's people like you who made me want Nola to come to Pineville to wait for me."

"Get in and close the door. You're freezing me out." Doc grinned as he raced the motor.

"Christmas Eve," Jim said softly as they squeezed in with Doc. "You beside me, our baby just a few miles away, and a Christmas card place like Pineville to welcome us. Don't you love it there, darling?"

Nola glanced at Doc, thought of Mrs. Trotter and the others. "Yes, Jim, I do," she whispered. "I surely do."

Tuesday, 2 p.m. — Whist game, Ladies' Home Club, Werner avenue clubhouse.

Tuesday, 8 p.m. — Colma Vista Grande Aerie No. 1848, Auxiliary, Eagles Hall, 3346 San Jose avenue.

Tuesday, 8:30 p.m. — Emydian Institute No. 154, YLI, Holy Angels Hall, San Pedro road, Colma.

New York Claims Santa Claus to Be Its Private Property

While the claim may cause the rest of America to bristle, New Yorkers insist that Santa Claus is peculiarly New York's own. Not only did he land in Manhattan with the Dutch settlers, they point out, but for almost two hundred years he never took his activities or presents out of New York state.

The New Yorkers advance some interesting points to bolster their contentions. They declare that in the general company of Washington Irving, James Kirke Paulding and Clement Clarke Moore, Santa Claus gradually lost the grim, stern aspect he wore when he arrived with the Dutch settlers to the bulging, benevolent mien he now offers.

It was in New York, too, they assert, that Santa acquired his reindeer sleigh and his habit of arriving on Christmas instead of on the Dutch St. Nicholas eve (December 5). And thus, in his New York panoply, he finally found his way to all parts of the United States, England and even Australia and India.

Indeed, as the New Yorkers will tell you, New York, as New Amsterdam in the beginning, was dedicated to Santa Claus, or St. Nicholas, by its Dutch founders. For Santa Claus—or Sinterklaas, as it is sometimes written in Holland—is of course only the centuries-old pet name which Dutch children gave to their patron and gift bringer, the good Bishop St. Nicholas. And it is said that the ship which brought the first Dutch children to Manhattan island bore his face as figurehead.

From the first, too, his special day of December 6, was set aside with Christmas, New Year's, Easter and Whitsuntide, as one of the five chief holidays of the new colony, just as it had been in Holland.

So, year after year, as regularly as St. Nicholas eve came around in New Amsterdam, in Breuckelen (Brooklyn), in Fort Orange (Albany) and many other hamlets above the icy Hudson, the children in every good Dutch family gathered in expectant circle. For weeks beforehand they had learned their lessons and helped with the milking and churning in an agony of good behavior. And now, all ready, they sang their song to Santa Claus.

In the midst of the song would come a knocking at the door and in would stride Santa Claus, himself—not round and jolly, but solemn and majestic in trailing robes. In one hand he might have a basket of presents or a purse, but in the other was sure to be a birch rod—an awful warning to a naughty boy.

Santa questioned each child in turn about his behavior in the year just past and gave him a pat of approval or a warning shake of the head, as the record indicated. Then, bidding them all look for presents in the morning, the good saint suddenly flung a handful of lollipops into the room and, in the ensuing scramble, vanished into the night. Then the children set out their sabots, or later the great blue yarn stockings made for the purpose.

However he did it—and the tale varies in many lands—Santa Claus got about, for in the morning over the hearth steaming with waffles and sausages and other good Dutch fare, were the blue stockings bulging with apples, balls, dolls and tops.

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TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. What and where is the "world's greatest waterfall"?
2. What is another name for Iraq?
3. What was the first baseball team whose players received a



regular salary for their services?
4. What was the first coeducational college in America?
5. What unit of measurement is used in weighing gold?



END OF THE RAINBOW . . . The rainbow of at least one human desire had fulfillment at the end when Judy Sue Warschauer found herself face to face with the doll of her dreams—and it was the very one she wanted for Christmas.

Merry Christmas!

Answers to
TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. The Guayra falls between Brazil and Paraguay is considered the world's greatest waterfall on the basis of mean annual flow and the height of the falls.
2. Mesopotamia is the name applied to areas between the Euphrates and the Tigris rivers. Iraq is the Arab name.
3. The "Red Stockings of Cincinnati," led by Harry and George Wright, traveled to various cities in 1869 and 1870 engaging local teams. The players were the first baseball professionals.
4. Oberlin Institute, now Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio, opened Dec. 3, 1833, as the first 100 per cent coeducational college in the United States.
5. The troy ounce is the measuring unit for gold.

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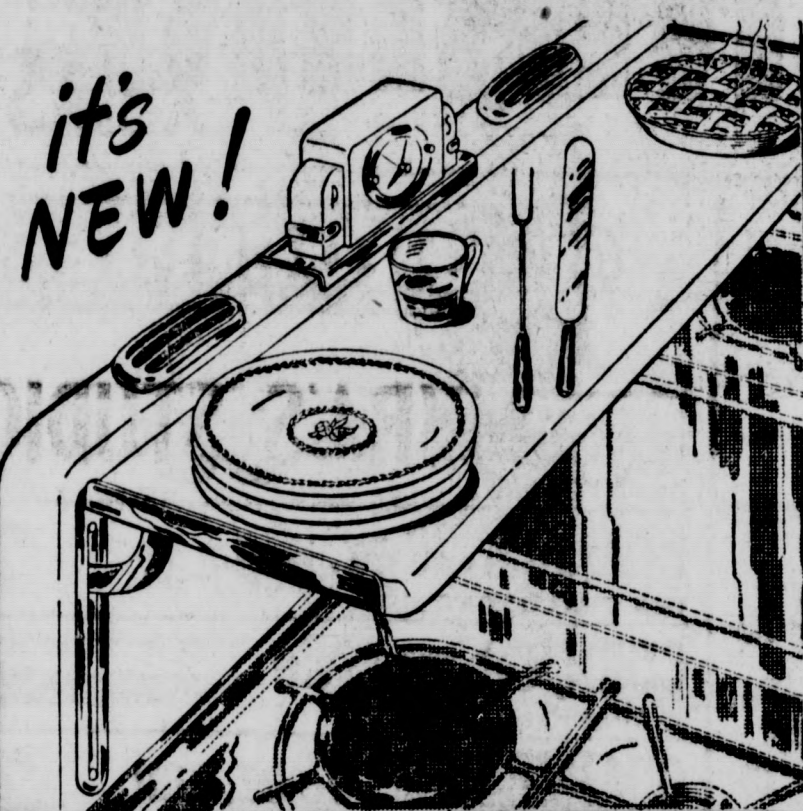
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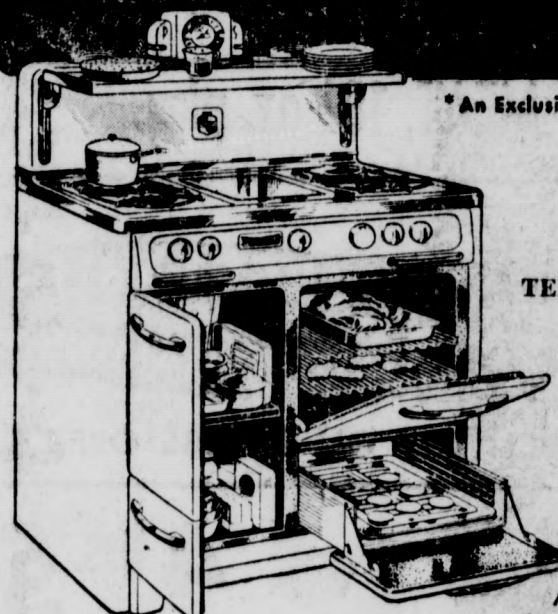
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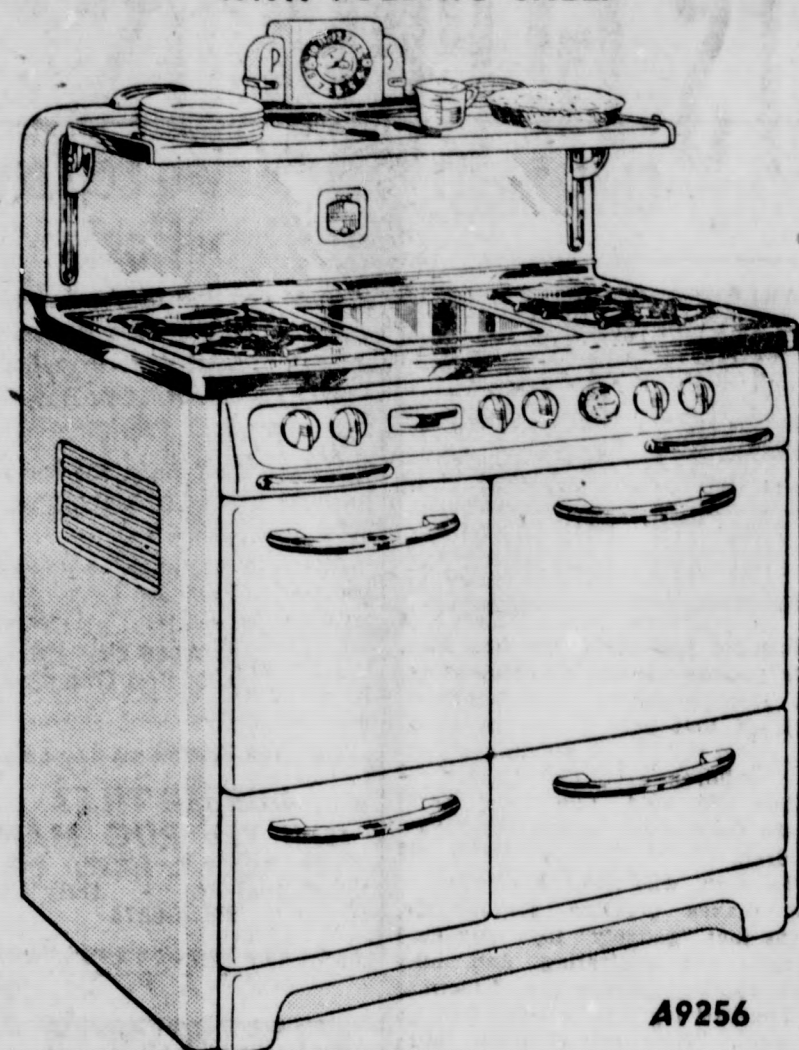
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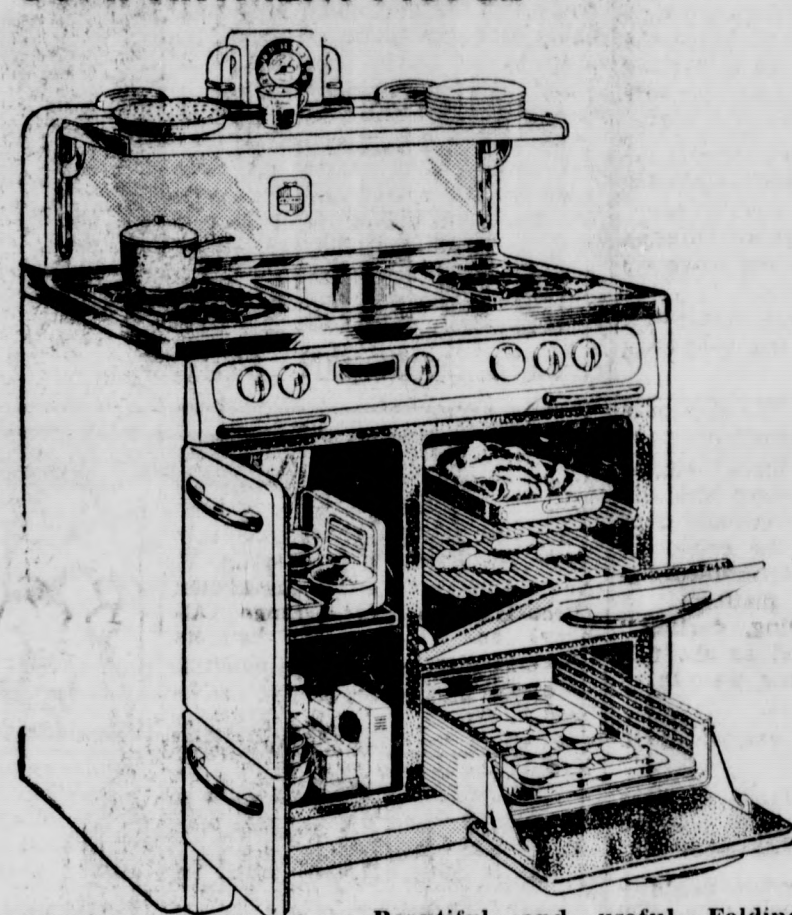
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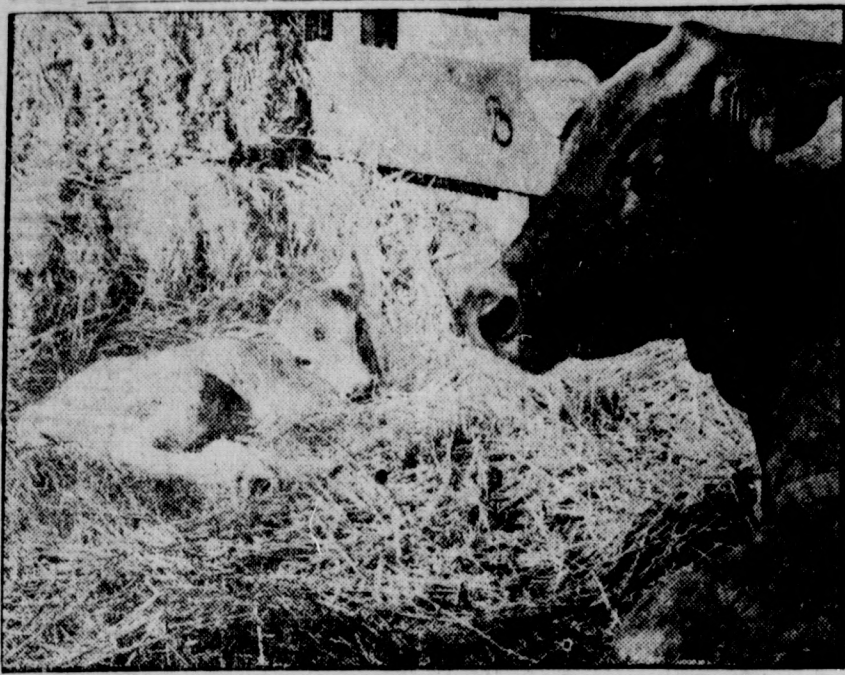
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WATCHING OVER CLEO—Sunny Hill's Queen, right, watches over her call, Sunny Hill's Grand National Cleopatra, at the Cow Palace in San Francisco, Calif., during the Grand National Livestock Show. Cleo, 11 hours and 55 minutes old when her picture was taken, was the center of attraction for the kiddies at the show.

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Merry Christmas!



How did you choose the toys for your youngsters this Christmas? A New York toy manufacturer declares that only a few parents will select the proper playthings for their children each Christmas.

Most, he said, buy toys that please themselves, rather than the children. The man, who owns a company that makes creative playthings, warns that "gadgets" toys may be harmful and frustrating. And, he adds, children quickly tire of them.

"The best toy a parent can buy," he said, "is a set of plain unpainted, wooden unit blocks. Children will use and enjoy them from age 18 months to nine years."

He said that girls between age 3 and 7 should have a "doll corner." He said the corner should be supplied first with a large wooden stove, bed and cupboard.

"The doll corner will become the most treasured play place in the little girl's life," he said. He contends boys from ages 2 to 7 mostly enjoy "transportation" play—trucks, cars and boats.

There was no statement about what parents should choose at Christmas for the young teenage boy or girl—in the 13-16 year-old group, whose interests already are deeply grained in social activities, and who prefer parties and dances to play-at-home activities.

Perhaps by next year, this manufacturer, or some child psychologist will have solved this problem.



BACKED UP . . . What would Christmas be without bright new dollies for little girls to cherish? Giving promise of a goodly crop of dolls for this Christmas are these finished heads on racks in a toy factory, ready to be given bodies and limbs.

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San Mateo Legion Auxiliary Hosts

San Mateo unit of the American Legion Auxiliary was hostess to the 26th district American Legion Auxiliary recently. Mrs. Roy Henderson served as presiding officer.

Distinguished guest for the evening was Florence Kelly, past department president.

Mrs. Jack Stetcher, chairman of the monthly round table discussions, which are held at the Villa Chartier, announced that the next one would be held on December 15

at 12:30 p.m. This month the topic of discussion will be rehabilitation and hospital and patients welfare. Reservations are to be made with Mrs. Jack Stetcher or Mrs. Roy Henderson.

Mrs. Stetcher, who also serves as

the district past presidents parley chairman, will have a Christmas party at the Palo Alto Veterans Hospital for the women patients

on the evening of December 21. The membership is urged to attend this affair.

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Christmas Carols

Christmas carols express better than anything else, probably, the true spirit of Christmas.

The word "carol" itself signifies joy and was originally used to accompany a dance. William Wallace Fyfe concludes that the term carol "signifies a song of joy or exultation." Another definition states: "A carol is a hymn of praise especially such as is sung at Christmas in the open air."

In England, which gave America most of its carols, they were sometimes gay and sometimes convivial until the time of the Puritans, who tried to suppress the Christmas spirit.

After the Restoration, the religious nature of the day was for a time almost forgotten in the reaction from Puritanism, and the carol was temporarily lost in the songs.

There are many quaint customs associated with the early carolers that might be used today to break the monotony of going from house to house singing Christmas hymns.

It was about the 16th century that caroling became a Christmas custom, and is supposed to have been brought to England from Italy by the traveling clergy. The first real Christmas carol is attributed to St. Francis of Assisi who made a model of the Bethlehem manger to help him tell his people the Christmas story.

The idea of caroling fitted admirably into the English conception of Christmas as a combination of religious celebration

and a great home day with neighborly feeling, so it grew and flourished in that country.

Little bands and groups of singers which sprang up in the towns and villages came to be known as "Waits." A natural explanation of the name seems to be that it refers to watching and waiting, for Christmas Eve is called the Vigil of Christmas.

As early as December 21, which is the day dedicated to St. Thomas, mummers and carolers would begin going from door to door, announcing the great feast at hand. It was natural for the householders to offer hospitality to these Christmas troubadours, and gradually in many places the custom of giving alms and presents of various kinds was established.

This benign custom threatened at one time in England to become a profession and to lose its original simple charm.

For a period beginning just when no one knows and ending in 1820, there were in London and Westminster companies of "Waits" whose leaders held office by public appointment and who obtained an exclusive right to solicit contributions from the public.

The carolers were often accompanied by entertainers who gave a spirit of revelry to the occasions. The mummers often interpreted the singing to give their interpretation of "St. George and the Dragon." Tumblers, dressed in bright red, would perform their arts of skill to entertain the onlookers.

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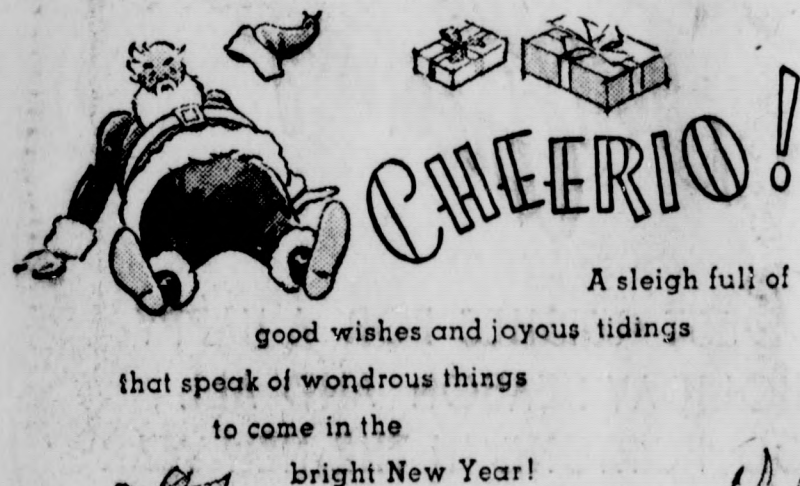
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The phrase is the Russian's way of saying: "Merry Christmas." In the past, the Russian's Christmas was closely associated with his church; but how the day is observed now that the religious life has been subjugated in the Soviet, one would have to be behind the "iron curtain" to know.

But it was not always like that. In other days, the Russian Christmas was much like the Ukrainian. There was a Santa Claus known as "Dedushka Moroz" and there were traditional gifts of red boots for children and golden slippers for young girls.

In certain parts of the country the "baboushka" (grandmother) was the legendary dispenser of gifts. According to one story, she repented of unkindness and ever since has tried to make amends by distributing gifts to children at Christmas.



LET US,
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The greens which are used for Christmas decorations found their way into early festivities because of certain virtues attributed to them by the ancients, and many of them which adorned pagan seasonal rites were later taken over to grace the ceremonies and celebrations of Christmas Day.

In both England and America, the holly and the mistletoe are associated with Christmas as invariably as are the plum pudding and Christmas tree.

It was the Druids who first used the mistletoe. "Heal-all" was their name for it. The plant was supposed to have curative values, and gradually they assigned to it all manner of magic powers.

Their priests, each year around the time when we now celebrate Christmas, would have high platforms built around the sacred oak trees which, in a manner of speaking, were "hosts" to the mistletoe. Robed in ceremonial vestments of white, they ascended these platforms, and with golden sickles especially made for the solemn occasion they cut away the mistletoe.

The Saxons also prized it and it was they who gave to it the name of mistletoe.

Eventually the green came to be regarded as a symbol of peace. Opposing warriors who met near it would call a truce, and it was customary to hang it over the entrance doors so that they who entered might be assured of friendship.



AND I WANT... This is a candid camera shot of a little girl being interviewed by a genial Santa on the subject of her desires in the line of Christmas presents. The rapt expression on her face is typical of small girl-and-boyhood when a lovely crisis like this presents itself.

On Christmas

While the litter from Christmas packages is still about, be particularly careful of smoking. Hot ashes dropped on tissue paper or a carelessly-tossed match could result in tragedy.

December 25 was decreed as the date of Christ's nativity by the Roman emperor Julian who began his reign as a Christian, but reverted to paganism before his death.



OUR Christmas MESSAGE... (to one and all)

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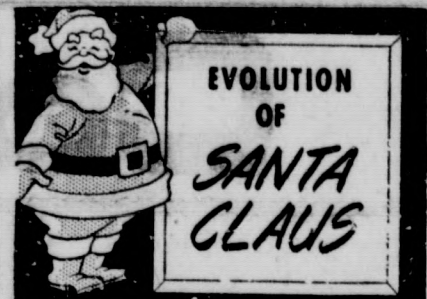
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Best Wishes

Here's hoping you
will have a Merry
Yule Season long
to be remembered.

JOHNNY DELL



EVOLUTION OF SANTA CLAUS

Christmas has roiled around once
again and Santa Claus with round
red cheeks, jolly smile and chunky
figure looks the same as he did
nearly 90 years ago.

His creator was Thomas Nast,
one of America's greatest cartoon-
ists. During the early 1860's he was
asked to illustrate Clement Clark
Moore's poem, A Visit to St.
Nicholas, better known to us as
"Twas The Night Before Christ-
mas." The result was Santa Claus
as we know him.

Santa's creator was born in
Bavaria in 1840, son of a musi-
cian in a Bavarian army band.
When he was a fat little boy of
six, Thomas' father left Ger-
many to enlist in the United
States navy, and Thomas' mother
brought the boy to New
York to live.

Along about the time stocky Tom-
my was 15 he landed his first job as
an illustrator for Leslie's Weekly at
\$4 a week. By the time he was 20
he was sent to England by the New
York Illustrated News to sketch
the Heenan-Savars fight, an out-
standing sports event of the day.

In 1862 he joined the staff of
Harper's Weekly and began the se-
ries of emblematic drawings which
continued throughout the Civil War.
From those he created certain
trademarks that have been the in-
spiration of cartoonists down to the
present—notably the Republican
elephant and the Democrat donkey.
Famous as the political symbols
are today, Nast's Santa Claus prob-
ably holds first place in the hearts
of Americans. Before Nast's day,
a few artists had drawn Santa on
one occasion or another, but could
not seem to agree on how the old
gentleman should look.

Nast changed all that.
He located Santa's home at
the North Pole and gave him a
sleigh drawn by reindeer. He
drew the familiar, fat, merry
old fellow with red cheeks and
white beard, dressed in red,
wearing a cap and boots, carry-
ing a pack of toys and smoking a
short pipe.

The artist then gave Santa a
spy-glass so that during the year
he might pick out the good children
from the bad, and also a big book
in which to write their names and
keep their records.

This conception of Santa Claus
first appeared in 1863. Since that
time, the pictured Santa has been
the same, although the spy-glass
and pipe seem to have been
dropped by the way.

happy, merry Christmas



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CHRISTMAS PRESENT

By Shirley Sargent

THE SMALL KITTEN called
Tupid watched preparations for
Christmas dully. Only the middle
boy, one Archie Raymond, noticed
his apathy. The tree, in all its
green splendor, stood tall in the
living room bedecked with an in-
creasing number of ornaments.

"Careful," Marcia Raymond ad-
monished her son sharply. "Don't
hang those big balls down so low.
The kitten will break them."

Gently Archie lifted them to a
higher bough, drawing in the pun-
gent scent of the pine. Only he saw
that the kitten walked slowly under
the tree unaware of the boughs
tickling her furry back. His young-
est brother had named the roly-
poly butterscotch kitten Tupid.
Young Billy was easily aroused to
fits of anger. His favorite expres-
sion, under stress, was a lisped,
"You 'tupid, you big 'tupid."

Archie, his ten-year-old brother,
Joe, and his parents laughed at the
little boy's wrath and, because the
kitten was slower than the others in



Tupid circled and smelled at
the black kitten until he was sat-
isfied. Then his tongue flicked
out to lick the kitten.

the litter, they named him, most af-
fectionately, Tupid.

"Archie," Mrs. Raymond was
flurried from all the excitement.
"That blue globe is much too low.
Tupid will get it. I don't doubt," she
added pessimistically, "that we will
lose half of our globes."

Archie could see that Tupid had
no interest either in the swaying
boughs or the brilliant-colored frag-
ile balls. For two days Tupid had
wandered carelessly about the
house and yard. He wasn't playful
or friendly and he had stopped pur-
ring. Only Archie sensed that the
kitten was lonesome for his sisters
and brothers and his mother. At
first there had been four balls of
fur and a proud old alley cat moth-
er. As they grew, they had become
playful, pattering swiftly through
the house. But now they were all
gone, including the mother. Just
Tupid was left to keep. Even the
black imp with shoe-button eyes
had been given away. Tar Baby,
who had been the boss of the litter,
had been gone barely two days, and
Tupid missed him.

"Well," his father's voice boomed
again, as he climbed down the lad-
der. "All done in time for Christ-
mas Eve. Come here, Joe, Archie,
you too Billy. I want you to see this
fine tree."

Mrs. Raymond switched the lights
off and Archie shivered in delighted
excitement as the tree blazed, il-
luminated by the strings of lights
and balls. The magic moment was
shattered by the sharp ring of the
doorbell.

A rush of cold air came in as Mr.
Raymond flung open the door wide
to admit a bundled figure. "My
father says I can't keep the kitten,"
Gerald Parks recited automatically,
close to tears. "I have to give it
back because it gives my father
hay fever." Gerald went out in
another rush of frosty air, but not
before Mrs. Raymond had pressed a
fat candy cane into his mittened
hand.

Tar Baby huddled in the middle
of the floor. "Watch it, boys," Mr.
Raymond warned. "Let's just watch
him. He feels strange here now;
he'll be all right in a while."

Archie saw Tupid jump from the
sofa with a purr of delight. Tupid
circled and smelled at the black
kitten until he was satisfied. Then
his tongue flicked out to lick the
kitten. Tupid's paws caressed him
as his tongue washed him. The
black kitten stood passive, as
Tupid showered his pent-up love
on him.

"Thay, mommy," Billy lisped,
"Tupid's kissing him, isn't he?"
"Um," Mrs. Raymond agreed.
"Tar Baby's Tupid's Christmas
present."

Mr. Raymond's eyes swept his
sons' awe-struck faces. "No," he
said firmly, "He's our Christmas
present too."



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*Pilgrims Deplored
"Ye Christmas Day"*

Puritan disapproval of Christmas celebrations disembarked from the Mayflower with the Pilgrims in 1621 and, accordingly, Governor Bradford issued a statement publicly rebuking certain young men who declined to work on December 25, "ye day called Christmas."

This first New England Christmas—or non-observance thereof—should not be credited as the first Christmas on American soil, since Leif Eriksen spent a winter or two on the North American continent around the turn of the 11th century.

Leif was a Christian, and it is likely that members of his crew were Christians, too; although it is quite possible that some had accepted the faith without remodeling their pagan natures, since King Olaf's methods were ruthless and his command "Be baptized, or else!" left them little choice.

Undoubtedly, flagons of crude, raw wine fermented from the grapes of Leif's Vinland were passed around and the celebration may have been rather boisterous, but in all fairness to Leif—who, according to excellent testimony, was a sincere convert—it is reasonable to assume that there was a trace of religious observance.

Perhaps Leif remembered the few words of Latin prayer he learned at the time of his conversion and recited them in honor of the birthday of the Redeemer he had accepted. . . . Thus, the first Christmas in America was observed.

The first Christmas card was designed in 1845.

Poinsettias which have come to be a "must" for Christmas decorations owe their name and popularity to an early American diplomat, botanist and scholar—Joel Roberts Poinsett.

*-then came
Three
Wise Men*

Legend not only has identified the Wise Men as Gaspar, Melchior and Balthasar, it has crowned them and given them the kingdoms of Tarsus, Arabia and Ethiopia. It has symbolized their gifts as symbolic of what Jesus was to become—gold for a king, frankincense for a high priest and myrrh for a great physician.

The Gospel text's specific wise men from the east logically identifies them with Zoroastrianism—an ancient monotheistic religion of Persia. Zoroastrian priests were called Magi; they were powerful in public and private life since they, and they alone, possessed the priestly mysteries involved in the worship of Mazda—who represented the Zoroastrian power for good.

The Magi may or may not have been fabulously wealthy: St. Matthew does not elaborate their treasures nor the amount of gold, frankincense and myrrh which they presented to the Christ Child. The gifts may have been mere tokens of their treasures, or the sum and substance thereof.

And if they were soothsayers, mystics and possibly clairvoyants they were also truly wise—in as much as they did not return to Herod, but departed into their own country by a different route.



*Season's
Greetings*

With most sincere wishes that you
may enjoy a truly Merry Christmas
and all the good fortune to make the
New Year a happy one

THE DALY CITY RECORD

*Time Not Constant
In the Celebrations
Of Christ's Nativity*

While December is now the month in which Christ's birthday is celebrated by Christians all over the world, research and study show that Christ's nativity has been celebrated in January, March, April, May, September and October by various peoples.

And although few people know it, it was for the purpose of substituting a Christian festival for pagan ones of Romans and Druids that celebrations of Christmas in December were popularized.

No historian pretends to fix the actual date of Christ's birth or the date at which Christmas became a general festival.

About all that is known is that during the fourth century the feast of the Nativity was observed in all western world churches at different dates.

The confusion resulting from celebrations in seven months of the year caused the western church authorities to meet in 340 to set a definite date for the celebration. The eastern churches did not cooperate until the sixth century when December 25 was set as the day to be observed.

The question has arisen innumerable times as to why December was selected as the month for rejoicing. The answer is that this month was chosen in order that a Christian festival could compete with those of the pagans, because December was noted for its feasts and holidays in nearly every civilized land.

Greeks, Romans, Saxons and Scandinavians all took part in the celebration of these festivals which had originated before the birth of Christ.

From the Saxons came the ceremony of burning the Yule log. The Saxons burned great bonfires in honor of their god Thor. From the Romans came the giving of presents, for this custom has been traced to the Roman Saturnalia.

It may seem strange to claim that the pagan riotousness might be the forebear of the Christian holiday of goodness and love, but intermingled with that which was objectionable, were things that have gone straight to the hearts of people throughout the Christian world.



*The
First
Christmas*

THE MAJESTIC STORY OF BETHLEHEM HAS INSPIRED MANKIND FOR CENTURIES. ITS GLORIOUS SCENES LIVE AGAIN ON THIS YEAR'S RELIGIOUS CHRISTMAS CARDS WITH THEIR REVERENT SENTIMENTS . . .

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